

# BIG DEPARTMENT SUPPLY BILL

## SPANISH PREMIER FOLLOWS DEFEATED FORCES INTO FRANCE

### HOPES CONTINUE WAR WITH FINAL STAND BEFORE CITY OF MADRID

PERPIGNAN, France, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Premier Juan Negrin of the Spanish government called a conference today with British and French envoys to Spain, presumably to take up mediation of the Spanish civil war.

Negrin's foreign minister, Julio Alvarez Del Vayo, joined in arranging for the late afternoon meeting while Negrin's defeated Catalan army poured into France.

With Catalonia abandoned to the armies of insurgent Generalissimo Franco, the Spanish government leaders were believed by diplomats to be discussing possibility of ending the civil war by surrender of their remaining one-fourth of Spain.

It was presumed Negrin and Alvarez Del Vayo would draw up terms on which surrender of the Central and Southeastern "island" territory might be carried out.

The meeting coincided with reports from Madrid that General Jose Miaja, supreme commander in Central and Southeastern Spain, had conferred at length with all civil and military authorities for that territory.

The government's remaining one-fourth of Spain embraces Valencia and Alicante as well as Madrid. Government forces there are estimated to number 500,000.

The broken government forces started their disorganized flight Sunday afternoon when French authorities decided to permit them only, to disarm them and to put them in concentration camps until their future could be arranged.

Twenty thousand had crossed into France this morning along with the rest of the army, and were expected. The rest of the northern force of 20,000 had died, deserted or been taken prisoner.

At Bour-Madame, about 60 miles inland, France and Spanish border officials decided to permit entrance into France of about 20,000 government forces.

## O'DANIEL DEFENDS HIS REPRIEVE TALK SUNDAY BROADCAST

### CLAIMS HORRIBLE STATE- MENT MADE MERELY FOR REPEAL PURPOSES

AUSTIN, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, defending his storm provoking action in delaying execution of a condemned negro pleaded with his constituents today to "help abolish capital punishment."

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## JOHNNY GARITTY NAMED PRESIDENT BOYS' CONFERENCE

### CLOSING SESSIONS HELD SUNDAY MORNING WITH INSPIRATIONAL SPEECHES

By JAMES WILLIAMSON  
Daily Sun Staff

Johnny Garitty, of Corsicana, was elected to the presidency of the 1940 North Central Area Older Boys' Conference by the delegates from 16 Texas cities who closed their 1939 conference in Corsicana Sunday noon.

Garitty will lead the assembly next year when the boys meet for their annual conference in a city that will be selected by them at their area H-Y camp this summer.

Other officers elected were George Smith, Waco, first vice-president; McBride, Dallas, second vice-president; and David Dorchester, Denison, secretary.

Closed Sunday

The conference closed Sunday noon after a morning of devotion.

## SONS OF PIONEER VIGILANTES OF CATTLE COUNTRY SEEK WAYS HANDLE NEW CATTLE RUSTLERS

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 6.—(AP)—In Idaho's rough and tumble days cattlemen saddled their horses, strapped on six-guns and with hempen lariats at their knees rode out after their old-time enemy, the cattle thief.

The trail often ended under a stout tree limb.

The sons of some of these cattlemen have started to ride again on a train to the state legislature seeking laws to put the cattle rustler "out on a limb."

Leading the fight against rustling, a well-paying business in Idaho, is Max D. Cohn of Arimo, president of the Idaho Cattle and Horse Growers' Association. Cohn recalls when his father, the late Myers Cohn of Malad, and his contemporaries "wasted no time on known cattle thieves."

"Father on several occasions saddled up with some of his riders—and they were plenty tough characters—strapped on their six guns and went out after the rustlers. It wasn't very often, but when they did get the goods on them—goodnight—they just 'disappeared.'"

## WEST VIRGINIA TOWN CAUGHT BETWEEN TWO FLOODS



More than 300 persons fled from historic Point Pleasant, W. Va., shown inundated by high waters from two rivers. The town is at the confluence of the Ohio river (left background) and the Kanawha river (foreground).

## PLANS FOR LARGER FAIR NEXT OCTOBER ANNOUNCED MONDAY

### ALL OFFICERS REELECTED; EVENT WILL RUN FOR FIVE DAYS IN 1939

Plans for an enlarged second edition of the annual presentation of the Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural Show were initiated Monday morning at the first meeting of the new board of directors of the organization.

Expansion of the 1938, from four to five days was authorized and the dates were set as October 3-7, inclusive. Contracts were approved for several entertainment features which will augment the agricultural and livestock exhibit section.

J. N. Edens, first president of the organization, presided at the meeting Monday and expressed his sincere appreciation for the wholehearted co-operation of every member of the board of directors in the staging of the initial show and also paid his respects to the outstanding manner in which the general public accepted and participated in the show.

## SEVERANCE GRANTED IN TRIAL MAYOR OF SAN ANTONIO, OTHERS

### ARGUMENT UNDER WAY ON MOTION TO QUASH INDICT- MENT OF QUIN

By OLEN W. CLEMENTS  
SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 6.—(AP)—District Judge E. D. Wright of Laredo today granted a severance in the trial of Mayor C. K. Quin of San Antonio and L. P. Bishop and R. Neill Campbell, city employees, on charges of misapplication of public funds.

Mayor Quin's case was called first and attorneys for the stocky, gray-haired chief executive of the city promptly filed a 28-page motion to quash the indictment.

The attorneys claimed Mayor Quin was "not legally charged with any crime" in the indictment which also charged Bishop and Campbell with misapplication of public funds.

## CHINA IS BUILDING NEW NATION, USING BIG U. S. CREDIT

### NEW STRATEGY ADOPTED TO WEAR DOWN JAPANESE ATTACKING CHINA

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—China is building a new nation in the comparatively undeveloped interior beyond immediate reach of Japanese forces, utilizing \$25,000,000 credit extended her in December by the American Export-Import Bank.

Well-informed persons, who disclosed today for the first time what China was doing with the credit opened in New York, said that nation's only chance of defeating the Japanese was to wear them out by creating a virtually new China in what was once the hinterland.

Natives carried machinery with them when they evacuated manufacturing centers, and are setting up new factories in cities virtually unknown to the outside. Now they are buying machinery in the United States with which to equip the factories. Some of the machinery probably will be used in making arms and ammunition.

## Forty Truckers Post Cash Bonds Monday

### ALICE, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Forty truckers charged with violating provisions of the state 7,000-pound load limit law posted cash bonds today and rushed perishable loads of citrus fruit to northern states from the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

Two who pushed their lumbering vehicles past the weighing stations without stopping were caught by highway patrolmen and returned here. Approximately 50 more truckers said their vehicles at Palfurina, 35 miles south of here on the principal highway.

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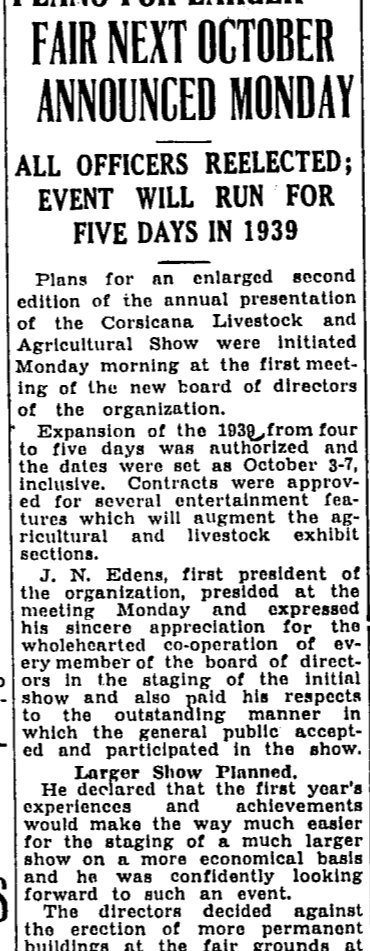
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## GENERAL VIEW OF TRAGIC FIRE



Curious crowds mingled with fire apparatus in the heart of the Syracuse business section as firemen fought a blaze in which eight of their number were entombed in the basement of a five-story building by collapsing walls. The State Tower, Syracuse's tallest office building, appears in left foreground of picture, looking east on Genesee street.

## BILL WITHDRAWING STATE SCHOOL LANDS FROM LEASE PASSED

### WILL WITHDRAW ALL SUCH LANDS FROM SALE OR LEASE FOR PERIOD OF TIME

AUSTIN, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Senate approval of a house bill today will withdraw from sale and lease all free school lands when and if Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel signs the measure.

The bill, recommended by Gov. O'Daniel and Land Commissioner Bascom Giles, was urged in both branches of the legislature on grounds statutes pertaining to sale of vacant and leasing for mineral development needed revision.

Each branch gave it an overwhelming majority vote, making it effective upon signing by the governor. It would remain in effect until 90 days after the end of the general session of the legislature.

## EMERGENCY RELIEF AGENCIES SHELTER FLOOD REFUGEES

### AN ESTIMATED 30,000 PER- SONS ROUTED FROM HOMES BY FLOOD WATERS

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6.—(AP)—New refugees were moved from the path of the flooded Ohio river homes at Huntington, W. Va., and other up-river spots today.

Light, general rains fell in the valley as WPA trucks evacuated some 250 Cincinnati area families in towns along the serpentine stream. Because of falling or stationary slugs from Pittsburgh to Portsmouth, O., the rain "is not the type to cause any alarm," said W. C. Devereaux, this city's veteran meteorologist-flood forecaster.

## SENATE REJECTED ROBERTS BE JUDGE OF FEDERAL COURT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—The senate rejected today President Roosevelt's nomination of Floyd H. Roberts to be a Virginia federal judge. Senators Glass and Byrd, Virginia democrats, had objected to the appointment.

The senate judiciary committee had disapproved the nomination by a vote of 15 to 3.

Glass and Byrd testified before the committee that the nomination was "personally offensive" to them.

## APPROPRIATION OF \$1,898,512,769 IS ASKED IN MEASURE

### SUPPLY BILL FOR INDEPEND- ENT OFFICES REPORTED BY COMMITTEE MONDAY



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## IRISH REPUBLICANS SPONSOR BOMBINGS

### BRITISH ROYAL FAMILY, HIGH OFFICIALS, BUILD- INGS ARE GUARDED

LONDON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Allegations that the outlawed Irish republican army had formed a plan to blast the British out of Ireland were made in the Bow Street police court today as Scotland Yard guarded the British royal family, high officials and public buildings against bomb outrages.

At the trial of 12 men accused of conspiring to cause explosions, the prosecuting attorney spoke of a mysterious alumnus "power," and nervous expectation of the federalist's pension idea as non-secretarian and non-partisan, helpful alike to young and old. Pensioning the old folk would help them directly and would be an in-

## NEW PRESIDENT OF TEXAS UNIVERSITY TALKS LEGISLATURE

### FREE PUBLIC EDUCATION BULWARK OF DEMOCRACY DR. RAINEY DECLARES

AUSTIN, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Dr. Homer Price Rainey, native Texan, today picked up the torch of the state's biggest school—the University of Texas—today told the legislature free public education was the chief bulwark of democracy.

The head of the American Youth Commission who will in next summer, also outlined at a point session of the lawmakers five "special opportunities" for the rapidly expanding institution as follows:

Development of wact-finding research institutes.

Provisions of an outstanding graduate school.

A Pan-American institute.

Expansion of the school of fine arts.

Educating practically all youth who ask for privileges of higher education.

## SENATORS PITTMAN AND NORRIS DECLARE ENEMIES OF ROOSEVELT BACK OF FOREIGN POLICY FIGHT

By WILLIAM B. ARDERY.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Senators Pittman (D-Nev.) and Norris (Ind-Neb.) asserted today President Roosevelt's adversaries are trying to injure him politically by deriding his handling of foreign policy.

The men, both administration supporters, expressed this opinion as the senate awaited a thorough airing of Mr. Roosevelt's latest enunciation of his stand on international problems.

"Open senate debate on the foreign situation was postponed, however, when the senate recessed after a brief session until Thursday."

The president's opponents "are thinking mostly about 1940," Norris declared.

"They want to keep Roosevelt out of the picture by having him nominated for the presidency," Pittman, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, told reporters controversy over the country's foreign policy is political.

Criticism of Mr. Roosevelt's direction of foreign affairs by republican legislators, he said, indicated the republican party was seeking to build up a case against the president.

Pittman commended the outline of foreign policy which the president issued Friday. Mr. Roosevelt said this nation opposed entangling alliances and military armaments reduction, maintenance of world trade and peaceful retention of political, economic and social independence of nations.

A republican-Senator Townsend of Delaware—aid an effort undoubtedly would be made to "get to the bottom" of a secret conference between Mr. Roosevelt and the senate military committee last week.

The president has termed "a deliberate lie" any statement that he told the committee this country's frontier was on the Rhine or in France.

Stephen Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, said today the White House had received no request from any member of the senate military committee that the pledge of secrecy concerning the conference January 31 be lifted.

## SPANISH

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ment soldiers from the Puigcerda region along with Puigcerda civilians who already were en route. Soldiers, artillery and large stocks of water material were expected to flow across the border this afternoon.

Insurgent planes flying over the Puigcerda area refrained from bombing either refugee or troop concentrations. Military observers said Puigcerda probably would be yielded to the insurgents without a fight.

France Rules Catalonia Insurgent Generalissimo Franco ruled the rich Catalan provinces his enemy forsook.

The premier and four cabinet members entered France at Le Perthus after a conference with other ministers in the Spanish border village of Aguilana.

President Manuel Azana, who was said to have favored peace along with the Catalanian and Basque provincial government presidents, preceded Negrin and was reported en route to Paris.

Week-end efforts toward peace collapsed, as had previous efforts, with the reported refusal of General Franco to accept anything short of absolute victory and unconditional surrender of government forces.

### Complete Surrender Terms of Insurgents

LONDON, Feb. 6.—(AP)—Spanish insurgent authorities were reliably reported today to have informed the British government their peace terms were "unconditional surrender" of the Spanish government.

This disclosure came on the heels of a report in authoritative quarters that Britain and France were making a fresh attempt to mediate the two and one-half-year old war in Spain.

Informed sources said C. B. Jerram, assistant to the British agent at Burgos, insurgent capital, had called the attention of Generalissimo Franco's regime to a three-point peace offer by Dr. Juan Negrin, premier of the Spanish government.

The insurgents were said to have told Jerram flatly these terms were "utterly unacceptable." One of Negrin's points called for insurgent guarantees against foreign influence in Spain.

"The Spanish government apparently has left Spain," one informed source said, "and we do not know whether they are actually holding together."



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## NATION'S CAPITAL, COLD BUT BEAUTIFUL UNDER SNOW MANTEL, MECCA FOR TEXANS IN JANUARY

By L. T. EASLEY

Texas AP Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The nation's capital cold but beautiful with a heavy mantle of snow was the mecca late in January of a large number of Texans.

Some were here on official business with government departments or to confer with congressional leaders on pending legislation others simply visiting the "city of magnificent distances" in the role of tourists.

The influx, as was expected, increased immediately after Congress convened early in the year. Throughout the session individuals and delegations backing or opposing legislation that would affect their interests, will continue to come from the Lone Star state.

Among Texans here in the latter part of the month, including those on heavy mantle of snow was the mecca late in January of a large number of Texans.

Larry C. Whitehead and Charles M. Dickson of San Antonio; W. L. Fletcher, Jr., of Hamilton; State Representative Robert Wood of Marshall; Emmett Manning, Livingston; Mayor William E. Lea of Orange; Mrs. Harry Freedman and Mrs. Phillip Tocker and Mrs. Happy Shelton, all of Fort Worth; State Senator J. Hanley Head of Stephenville; Eugene Worley of Shamrock; David Evans of Angleton; O. A. Uland of Markham; C. P. Duseon of El Campo; Mrs. Joseph J. Wood of Eastland, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, and the following women attending the National Federation meeting here: Mrs. Volney Taylor of Burlesville; Mrs. T. J. Reed of Beaumont; Mrs. Richard J. Turrentine of Denton; Mrs. J. C. Collier of Mumfords; Mrs. M. J. Cunningham of College Station; Mrs. J. T. Vance of Refugio; Mrs. H. W. West of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Jess Andrews of Houston, and Mrs. L. Pearl Perkins of Houston.

Senator Connally recently was appointed to a board of trustees to handle the Washington home of the late Oliver Wendell Holmes, which was left to the government so that it valuable law library would remain open for the use of those who needed it.

Prohibition is by no means a forgotten issue, if for no other reason than the influx of its most able and outstanding advocates. Texas' senior senator, Morris Sheppard of Texarkana.

Recently Senator Sheppard introduced two bills which would re-establish national prohibition. A few days later he made a lengthy address in the senate, citing statistics and reports to substantiate his belief that the alcohol traffic again should be curbed.

Still more recently he was a guest of honor and principal speaker at the forty-fourth annual breakfast here of the International Reform Federation. Senator Capper (R.-Kan.); Mrs. Linda Littlejohn of Sydney,

Australia, world champion of Woman's rights, and Dr. Ella A. Boole, world president of the W. C. T. U. were among those present.

A group of Houston businessmen and their congressman, Rep. Albert Thomas, munched sandwiches under a cotton warehouse shed in the South Texas city several weeks ago while listening to President Roosevelt deliver his Jackson Day address before a gathering of democrats in a Washington hotel.

After the speech and the sandwiches, someone reminded the crowd that the dinner at which the speech had been delivered cost something like \$100 a plate, and in fun passed out hats among those under the shed. A total of \$1.50 in pennies, nickels and dimes were contributed. To handle the matter they organized the "Cotton House Jackson Day Dinner Club."

A couple of weeks later Rep. Thomas at his office here received a money order from S. A. Lilly, the club's secretary, asking that the money be turned into the Democratic party's national campaign fund. Thomas sent the money order and the latter to Postmaster General James A. Farley.

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eight amendment to the United States constitution, and the Texas constitution, which prohibits cruel or unusual punishment.

He said Williams "may prove to be the spark which will give x x x more human and less cruel method of punishing our criminals. If so, perhaps x x x citizens of Texas may now x x x rise up en masse and demand x x x such a law be passed in time to save that same negro boy's life and others."

Most of his broadcast, which included the usual religious hymns, was given to warm defense of his action, but O'Daniel interspersed another blast at "tax-dodgers" he accused of trying to sabotage his transactions tax proposal.

He asked those who favored his old age pensions plan to "flood your senators and representatives with letters immediately telling them you want them to exert every bit of their influence and vote for the submission of my transaction tax plan, or a better one, to the voters of Texas in the form of a constitutional amendment."

"If the tax dodgers who are hoarding so much can produce a better plan, let me invite them to submit same to the legislature."

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tional and inspirational speeches by outstanding speakers who had previously addressed the boys during their three-day meeting.

Pat H. Ramsey, general secretary of the Corcoran Y. M. C. A. gave the prayer after the boys had assembled in Junior High School auditorium Sunday. The first devotional address of the morning was made by David Thrift, cadet colonel A. and M. College. Thrift spoke on the subject, "Why Go To Church?" Thrift advised the boys that even though they had their own code of ethics they should go to church. You may search for the truth but you will only find it in your church," he said.

At 9:45 the conference adjourned for an hour of group discussion.

Dallas Man Makes Address. During the second assembly period of the morning the boys were led in prayer by J. J. McConnell, Jr., executive secretary of the Southwest Area Y. M. C. A. Council.

John Green, Dallas, made the closing address of the conference. Green reviewed the various addresses that had been made and stated that they were pointed toward a development of character. "You have been told that character pays. You have heard that statement made by young men who are outstanding examples of the truthfulness of that statement," he said.

O. F. Allen expressed again the pleasure Corcoran had experienced in being host to the 1939 conference.

Entertainment during the morning program was by Mrs. Finis Farr who played a violin selection accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Minnie Sutton.

B. F. Faubion, conference director, said Sunday that an error had been made Saturday in the counting of votes cast by the delegation. The first count gave the office of president to Luther Sisson of Gainesville. The correct count gave the office to Johnny Garity. "The first counting was an error in tabulation and we are glad to make this correction," Faubion said.

Notice I am trying to locate A. J. Owens and Gertrude Beard. Any one knowing the whereabouts of these people, please notify B. A. DuBoise, Streetman, Texas, Route 1.

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## Sir Henri Deterding Dies; Greatest Oil Magnate of Europe



SIR HENRI DETERDING

ST. MORITZ, Switzerland, Feb. 6.—(AP)—The family of Sir Henri Deterding gathered at the Swiss villa where he died unexpectedly Saturday to take the body of the 72-year-old Netherlands-born oil magnate back to his estate at Dobbins, Mecklenburg, Germany, for burial.

Sir Henri had a personal fortune estimated at \$150,000,000 or more and retired in 1937 from the director generalship of the Royal Dutch Petroleum Company.

### FAIR PLANS

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to make the Corsicana show one of the outstanding events of the year in the entire Southwest. It was reported a majority of the cattle shown here would appear a few days later at the American Royal in Kansas City.

Officers Re-Elected. The entire list of 1938 officers were re-elected and standing committee heads were also re-elected. These included J. N. Edens, president; Fred M. Allison, first vice president; W. C. Stroube, second vice president; J. M. Dyer, secretary-treasurer, and R. W. Knight, manager.

W. E. McKinney was re-named rodeo director, Mr. Allison grounds chairman, and Mr. Stroube entertainment chairman.

At the suggestion of Mr. Allison and other directors a plan of the entire grounds will be prepared immediately and permanent locations assigned for the various temporary exhibit units, concessions, entertainment features and other units, and a report submitted to a meeting of the board within the near future.

The board also discusses the erection of new fences at the fair grounds in a manner as to eliminate almost all of the congestion which occurred during the first season. It was suggested the parking grounds be left open so that cars could be placed in them directly from the highway, and then their occupants would pass through the turnstiles to the grounds proper.

Mr. Edens and other members of the board expressed gratification at the use being made of the grounds by the general public during the other months of the year when the actual fair was not in progress.

Approximately 1000 persons turned out Sunday afternoon to witness the calf roping and bronc riding contents staged in the rodeo arena.

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labor union differences. The CIO in its official publication, cried out against amendments proposed for the Wagner labor relations act. The CIO said the amendments were "anti-union" and attributable to "blind hate" on the part of some AFL leaders.

Chairman Sumners (D-Tex) postponed at least until Wednesday a meeting of the house judiciary committee which had been called for tomorrow to hear Secretary Perkins discuss a resolution by Rep. Thomas (R-NJ) calling for her impeachment.

The house approved and sent to the white house a resolution providing an additional \$25,000 for expenses of a joint senate-house committee investigating the Tennessee valley authority. The measure gives the committee until April 1 to make a report to congress.

Chairman William O. Douglas of the Securities commission told the National Economic (monopoly) committee that the "tremendous and spectacular" growth of insurance companies since 1906 alone was enough to justify an inquiry into their economic influence.

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## Courthouse News

### District Court.

A jury in district court Saturday afternoon assessed Sherman Lee O'Neal a \$50 fine and a 30-day sentence on an indictment for driving a car while intoxicated. The case had been on trial several days. Arguments of attorneys were completed early Saturday afternoon. Tom Tyson, defense counsel, stated a motion for a new trial would be filed in the case.

The trial of Willie Lee Jones, negro, charged by indictment with murder got under way Monday morning. A special venire of 50 men in addition to the regular jury for the week was summoned. Jones was indicted in connection with the slaying of Carl Smith, negro, last November. A motion for a suspended sentence was filed in the case in the event of conviction. Defense counsel stated a plea of not guilty would be entered when the defendant is arraigned, and self-defense will be maintained.

The prosecution is being handled by Chas. T. Baister, criminal district attorney, and Tom L. Tyson of Davis, Jester & Tyson, as special prosecutor. The defendant is represented by David Ralston of Lovett, Lovett & Ralston, and Chas. C. Sapp, court-appointed attorneys.

The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the seventh week of the January term of the Thirtieth judicial district court for week beginning Monday, Feb. 13:

C. W. Boyd, Corsicana; R. R. Cooke, Corsicana; David Daniels, Corsicana; H. W. Kaathley, Corsicana; J. Walter Little, Corsicana; C. E. Scarborough, Corsicana; Claude L. White, Corsicana; W. C. Pearce, Corsicana; E. P. Propert, Corsicana; L. A. Rutherford, Corsicana; V. E. Wendorf, Corsicana; S. D. Gools, Corsicana; Cooper Harris, Streetman; J. F. Burks, Corsicana; H. J. Ferguson, Powell; A. C. Kent, Tureka; F. O. Sessions, Corsicana; M. E. Brown on theft charges for Constable Billings of Malakoff.

Deputy Sheriff Brown and City Officer Adams arrested four persons for drunkenness Sunday afternoon.

Three juveniles, two whites and a negro were arrested on chicken theft charges by city officers and were turned over to county authorities during the week-end.

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## FOREIGN POLICY

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Senator Bridges (R-NH) and Clark (D-Mo) have contended that since the president gave his version of the conference, the committee members should be authorized to give theirs.

Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis), who frequently has supported Roosevelt measures, said in a speech last night at Atlantic City, N. J., that "if the foreign policies of this nation are formulated solely by the chief executive, it is a burlesque on government."

Senator Capper (R-Kan), declaring the United States should remain aloof from Europe's troubles, told reporters he favored a ban on exports of war material to any country at any time. He added such a prohibition was doubly desirable in time of war.

(It was the sale of American planes to France—plus the discovery that the government had been cooperating with a French air mission—which initiated the military committee's study of foreign policy last week.)

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## POLICEMAN SLAIN BY FUGITIVE FROM PALO PINTO JAIL

### TOURIST CAMP AT BROWN- WOOD SCENE GUN BATTLE; POSSE MAKING SEARCH

STEPHENVILLE, Feb. 3.—(AP)—A badly wounded gunman sought as the slayer of Policeman Jack Fuston in a Brownwood tourist cabin early today was captured by a posse between Dublin and Stephenville at noon, when he leaped from a car and attempted to flee in thick brush.

Deputy Sheriff Ed Hassler said the man, believed to be William Thomas Haley, Jr., fugitive from the Palo Pinto jail, was wounded in the arm and leg.

Hassler said the man had commandeered an automobile at Dublin several minutes earlier and forced a youth to drive him toward Stephenville.

Hassler headed a posse which flushed the man on the highway and captured him as he fled into C. E. Jordan's house near the town of Stephenville.

The capture climaxed a chase in which more than a hundred heavily armed posses scoured highways and byroads in Brown, Comanche and Erath counties after the fugitive since he fled from Fuston at a tourist camp on the outskirts of Brownwood. Fuston, a rookie policeman, was questioning the suspect.

There were a score of men in the posse which finally closed with the fugitive, who had abandoned one stolen automobile at Dublin and there, at pistol point, held up a youth whose name was given as Watson. The bandit crawled to the rear of the automobile and told Watson to drive him out of town on state highway No. 10. No shots were exchanged as the suspect was captured, and he was hustled back to Brownwood.

A woman companion of the fugitive, who told officers at Brownwood she was his wife, said she and her husband left Dallas at 8:30 p. m. yesterday en route to San Antonio. She said she had been working at a Dallas barber shop.

## BASKETBALL REACHES CRUCIAL STAGE MOST SECTORS THIS WEEK

### OF TEN MAJOR GROUPS ONLY EASTERN AND SOUTHWEST ARE UNDEFEATED

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—(AP)—The basketball season is reaching the stage of even the best basketball conference can take a "looking like any other team, there's a crucial game almost anywhere you look this week. For three leagues—Ohio State in the Big Ten, Georgia in the Southeastern conference and Oregon in the Northern League of the Pacific Coast conference—only one team has won its last game. In the Big Six, Kansas State next Saturday visits Kansas State while Missouri and Oklahoma are scheduled for second, clash at Norman, Okla.

Like Carnegie, beaten by Pittsburgh; Colorado, upset by Brigham Young, and Oklahoma, defeated by Drake, there's trouble in sight for those two undefeated survivors, Dartmouth and Southern Methodist.

Dartmouth, which barely beat Yale in a place team, runs up against a dangerous Harvard outfit Saturday. If the Indians should lose, Columbia, which plays twice, can tie for the lead.

Last week's only game in the dizzy Southwest race saw Baylor drop two decisions to Arkansas and fall from the lead. Now S. M. U., which hasn't played for two weeks, takes on the revengeful Baylor sophomores and a dangerous Texas team.

## Children Treated In Freeman Clinic

Clyde Hooper and Aubrey Crowder were taken to Freeman Clinic, Dallas, where they underwent operations. It was reported Saturday by Mrs. H. G. Brown, local representative and member of the board of the Texas Society for Crippled Children.

Clyde Steele was also taken to Freeman Clinic for treatment, Mrs. Brown said.

## College Games.

Arkansas 40, Baylor 36.  
Texas Wesleyan 59, Trinity 32.  
West Texas Teachers 42, St. Mary's U. (San Antonio) 32.  
Daniel Baker 28, Southwestern U. 19.  
Texas Tech 50, New Mexico U. 37.

High School Games.  
Corsicana 26, Highland Park (Dallas) 17.  
Corsicana 22, Ennis 18.  
Corsicana 24, Hooks 18.  
Groveton 44, Crockett 35.

## Kerens Music Club Host to Pioneers; Chinese Luncheon

KERENS, Feb. 4.—(Spl.)—The Pioneer Literary club of Kerens was honored in an especially lovely manner on Wednesday, Feb. 1, when the Kerens Music Club entertained the club as a whole on their guest day. The meeting held in the beautiful home of Mrs. Charles Reese, which was made even more inviting for the occasion by the use of masses of spring narcissi, violets, growing vines and zinnias, in all their gorgeous hues, was not only enjoyable but very worthwhile.

The program consisted of miniature grand pianos in booklet form, inside which the following program was listed:

Funeral March (B Minor Sonata) Chopin  
Mrs. R. H. Mays  
Book Review: "Lena Geyer"  
Mrs. M. A. Davenport  
"Aida" (Triumphal March). Verdi  
Mrs. C. J. Hall  
These were all excellently rendered, were received with full appreciation.

The review of the life of the famous singer and pianist was presented by Mrs. Barlow with such finished technique that she was acclaimed one of Kerens' outstanding book reviewers.

The musical motif was further carried out with a large black note stickup in the serving of cake a la mode, which was passed at the conclusion of the program.

## Chinese Luncheon.

KERENS, Feb. 4.—(Spl.)—Mrs. M. O. Cheek entertained a group of friends with a delightful Chinese luncheon and spend the day on Friday, Feb. 3, at the home with its many beautiful rugs, lamps, pictures, vases, linens, China and other objects of art, all from either China or Japan, where the Cheek family spent several years recently was the perfect setting for an authentic Chinese luncheon.

Places were laid for 12 at the long table which held as its centerpiece a huge wooden tray of fruit, without which no Chinese meal is complete. Japanese lacquer cups of salted nuts, hand-painted rice bowls of whole-grain rice, chop sticks, and tea were in place before each guest, while the eggs, pork, sukiyaki, bean sprouts, chow suey sauce and soy sauce were served from gorgeous Chinese bowls.

The afternoon, Feb. 1, had been Mrs. Cheek's birthday, the guests took advantage of the fact and presented her with many lovely remembrances.

The hours were spent with sewing, crocheting, rug making, quilt piecing and any number of varieties of feminine handiwork.

Present were Mrs. A. L. Bain, Mrs. W. L. Bain, Mrs. Robert Tyus, Mrs. E. H. Norton, Mrs. E. C. Hess, Mrs. Lee Couch, Mrs. Carrie McKinley, Mrs. Pat Murphy, Mrs. R. C. McChesney, Mrs. C. W. White, Mrs. Bob Ford, Mrs. Ford Ivey and the hostess.

## TICKETS ON SALE FOR PIG SKIN REVUE ON THURSDAY NIGHT

Joel C. Trimble, chairman of the sale of tickets for the Pig Skin Revue, a high school band benefit performance of the Southwestern University "Pig Skin Revue" to be held in the senior high school auditorium Thursday night, Feb. 9, has placed these tickets on sale.

The tickets will be sold principally by members of the high school band, and prices will be 50 cents for students, 25 cents for the general public.

Mr. Trimble asks that when the public is called on to purchase these tickets, that he wants them to know that in addition to helping the high school band, they will be helping the Southwestern University bank to give a program at the meeting of the Rotary Club Thursday, and also a program at the chapel hour of the high school the following week.

The Corsicana Dads' Club, numbering over two hundred members, have endorsed this program and benefit and are anxious for the public to support the min this endeavor.

## MRS. CHARLIE SMITH DIED IN AMARILLO; BURIAL ON MONDAY

Mrs. Charlie Smith died at her home in Amarillo at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning and funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in Amarillo.

Mrs. Smith was a former resident of Rosano and visited there last Christmas holidays. She had been in ill health several years.

Surviving are her husband, a son, both of Amarillo; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frazier, Rosano; two brothers, Jim Frazier and Vernon Frazier; five sisters, Mrs. Allison Jones, Mrs. Harry Fluker, Mrs. John Bragg, Mrs. W. L. Jones and Mrs. John Bentley.

Her mother and sister, Mrs. John Bragg, were with her at the time of her death.

## MAGNOLIA REFINERY COMPLETES 3 YEARS WITHOUT ACCIDENT

The Magnolia refinery completed three full years of operation at midnight Friday night without a single loss of time accident, it was announced Saturday morning by Mr. Dickens attributes the excellent record to the safety campaign that has been conducted by the company over a period of years, says, has become safety-minded and are always alert while on the job.

Claud Lyles of Beaumont, safety campaign director, will be here Monday to inspect the picture of the entire crew will be made.

## FINALS ARE SLATED BARRY GYM COURT SATURDAY EVENING

### SEMI-FINAL CONTESTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR SATUR- DAY AFTERNOON

BARRY, Feb. 4.—(Spl.)—Emhouse clashes with Powell and Pursley opposes Navarro in the semi-finals here Saturday afternoon in class B interscholastic league semi-finals with the winners to meet for the title Saturday night at 9 o'clock.

Emmett advanced to the finals in the C tournament and will oppose the survivor of the Pickett, Bazette and Curry contests.

Following are the box scores reported in the tournaments thus far:

CLASS B TOURNAMENT.				
Second Round.				
Emhouse (37)—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Drain	0	0	2	0
Bazette	0	0	1	0
Wetzel	1	0	0	2
Breithaupt	2	2	3	6
Stough	0	0	0	0
Harrell	10	0	0	23
Armstrong	0	0	2	0
Totals	14	7	10	37

Powell (31)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Holloway	0	0	2	0
Bancroft	0	0	2	0
Holloway	1	1	1	3
Aven	1	2	4	4
Tucker	0	0	1	0
Totals	13	5	11	31

Pursley (16)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Payne	4	0	2	12
Norvell	0	1	1	2
Herrin	1	0	0	2
Bollen	1	2	4	4
Herrin	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	5	8	19

Union High (10)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Cantrill	0	0	4	0
Roloff	0	0	2	0
Willey	0	0	2	0
Johnson	4	2	10	10
A. Hale	0	0	0	0
G. Hale	0	0	2	0
Totals	4	2	18	10

Navarro (23)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Gandy	3	2	2	8
Mars	0	0	1	0
Dooleen	1	0	0	2
Whitefield	0	0	4	0
Harvard	4	1	0	9
Jennings	0	0	4	0
Totals	10	3	11	23

Hodges (9)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Hodges	0	0	0	0
Tippling	1	0	1	2
Darden	2	2	4	6
Farmer	0	0	2	0
Armstrong	0	0	0	0
Jayroe	0	0	1	0
Legatt	0	0	1	0
Totals	3	3	8	8

FIRST ROUND CLASS B.				
Emhouse (15)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Rich	0	0	1	0
Stokes	0	0	1	0
Drain	0	0	1	0
Harrell	2	0	1	4
Breithaupt	0	0	1	0
Totals	7	2	6	10

Pursley (15)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Barry	2	0	1	4
Richards	1	0	0	2
Luther	1	0	0	2
Ray	3	0	1	6
Nicholson	0	2	4	2
Pope	0	0	1	0
Barr	0	0	1	0
Totals	6	3	7	15

Navarro (25)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Holloway	1	3	9	4
Bancroft	3	2	4	8
Aven	2	2	0	4
Tucker	0	0	1	0
Totals	11	3	25	26

Pursley (21)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Tippling	3	1	0	7
Hodges	3	0	0	6
Rich	0	0	0	0
Darden	4	0	0	8
Jayroe	0	0	0	0
Legatt	0	0	0	0
Farmer	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	1	3	21

Long Prairie (15)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Phillips	2	0	1	4
Chenille	1	0	0	2
May	1	0	1	2
Moore	2	1	5	5
Morgan	1	0	1	2
Totals	7	1	8	15

CLASS C RESULTS.				
McCord (61)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Poulier	11	1	0	23
Bryant	1	0	2	2
Goodman	7	3	0	17
Fisher	1	0	0	2
Posey	4	0	0	8
Green	3	0	1	6
Totals	28	5	8	61

Bradley (14)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Ragan	3	4	1	10
Lewis	0	0	0	0
Maxwell	1	0	1	2
Sims	0	0	0	0
Carver	0	0	0	0
Holloway	0	0	0	0
Totals	5	4	1	14

Emmett (57)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Emmett	3	0	1	6
C. Green	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	0	1	6

## Courthouse News

District Court.  
District Judge W. R. Howell Saturday morning was preparing his charge in the trial of Sherman Lee O'Neal, charged by indictment with driving a car while intoxicated. Evidence was concluded Friday afternoon.

District Clerk's Office.  
The following case was filed: Frances Johnson vs. Raleigh (Buck) Johnson, divorce.

County Clerk's Office.  
The following case was filed: The Central Texas Grocery company vs. G. L. Higgins, appointed from Justice Court, Precinct 1, Place 1, forcible detainer.

Warranty Deeds.  
W. J. Green to J. M. Green part of Block 285, Corsicana \$1 and other considerations.  
Green Springfield to Palama Coleman, Lot 12, Block 1, Book or Heights Addition, Corsicana, \$200 and other considerations.  
C. E. Frost, et ux, to Mount Nebo School District No. 78, part of the David White survey, \$25.  
C. L. Keeling, et ux, to Mount Nebo School District No. 78, part of the David White survey \$25.

Justice Court.  
Three were fined for overloading and one for speeding in the court of Judge Pat Geraghty. One was fined for overloading, two for speeding and one for drunkenness by Judge A. E. Foster.

## Allison Thanks All Assisting In Recent Campaign

A. A. Allison, chairman of the infantile paralysis campaign during the past week, Saturday morning expressed his sincere thanks to everyone connected with the campaign, especially the teachers, County Superintendent J. C. Watson, the high school girls, the Corsicana Daily Sun and others.

"No one could have done this work and reached the number represented in the donors without the splendid publicity given us by the paper," Mr. Allison said.

Before the \$400 will be realized when the final reports are in and most of the contributors gave dime.

Ninety-nine high school girls and one boy filled the dime cards and Mr. Allison sent the \$100 to President Roosevelt Saturday morning.

Dime cards filled and not previously reported included: Bonnie Green, Marie Hurley, Jewel Taylor, Alene Hoggatt, Diana Roberts, Buena Allen Watt, Elaine Norris, Betty Humphries and Harry Neilsen.

Schools reporting various sums not previously reported include Corbett, Emhouse, Buffalo, Angus, Long Prairie, Union Seminary, Alliance Hall and Mildred.

## Representatives Of Newsprint Concerns Corsicana Visitors

Harold S. Foley, executive vice-president of the Powell River Company, Limited, of Vancouver, B. C., and R. C. Couderc of the G. F. Steele and Company, Inc. of New York were business visitors in Corsicana Saturday, conferring with executives of the Sun-Light Publishing Company.

Both of the visitors are representatives of leading newspaper manufacturers and brokers and are engaged on an investigation tour of the Sun-Light plant and its unusually favorable conditions for a successful year over the entire south and particularly the southwest.

## Mother of Kerens Man Dies Dallas

DALLAS, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Mary Ida Hulan, aged 85 years, died at the family home Thursday. Her funeral rites were held here Friday afternoon.

Surviving are her husband, L. L. Hulan, Dallas; two sons, F. L. Hulan, Kerens, and A. G. Hulan, Dallas; and three daughters, Miss Alva Hulan and Miss Ruby Hulan, both of Dallas.

New Kerens Business.  
Kerens' newest addition in the form of a business enterprise, is the Southport Grocery and Filling Station, opened this week by L. E. Gray in the building formerly occupied by the Bruner Chevrolet Company.

Brown (19)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Thompson	1	0	3	2
Whitefield	1	0	1	2
Coffey	1	0	0	2
Pevhouse	1	0	0	2
Totals	4	0	4	8

Pett's Chapel				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Korman	0	1	1	1
Bryant	0	1	1	2
McGee	0	0	0	0
C. Bryant	0	0	0	0
Ray	3	0	1	6
Michem	3	0	0	6
Holsey	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	1	3	21

McCord (13)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Poulier	0	1	3	1
Bryant	1	0	2	2
Goodman	3	1	2	8
Ditto	0	0	0	0
Green	1	0	2	2
Totals	5	1	7	13

Pickett (83)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
Henry	3	1	0	7
Farmer	0	0	0	0
S. Wilson	0	0	0	0
N. Wallace	5	0	0	10
D. Wallace	0	0	0	0
J. Wilson	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	1	0	17

Angus (21)—				
Player—	fg	ft	fls	pts
H. Conant	2	1	0	5
Wilson	2	0	4	4
Betts	3	0	0	6
F. Bonner	0	0	0	0
C. Bonner	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	1	4	21

## HOUSE PASSES BILL FOR BORROWING OF PENSION FUNDS

### MEASURE AUTHORIZING BOR- ROWING \$900,000 APPROV- ED OVERWHELMINGLY

AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—(AP)—A bill authorizing the old age pension administration to borrow an additional \$900,000 to meet a financial emergency sailed through the house today on a vote of 118 to 5. Advocates expressed confidence they could obtain senate approval next week.

Reps. H. T. Brown of Jacksonville and Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, co-authors of the proposal, warned that pension grants would have to be reduced 28 per cent, effective next month, unless some action was taken. The present average grant is \$13.80 monthly.

The \$900,000 would be added to the \$1,300,000 pension organization already owes. Under terms of the bill, the \$1,300,000 would have to be paid back next Jan. 1 and the other on June 1, 1940.

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's attitude on the bill was not known. He had said he was against borrowing money as a

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**NEUROPATH.**

They bade him settle down and be  
A quiet watcher in the shade,  
Not knowing that for quiet, he  
had not been made.

They did not guess who bade him  
rest  
And cease to move or stir about  
That he pursued a ceaseless quest  
Indoors and out.

But every day and every hour  
With all their joys or sorrows  
grim,  
And bee, and bird, and bush in  
flower  
Excited him.

So much in life to hear and see;  
So much to learn from field and  
town.  
'Twas only when he died, that he  
could settle down.

**A CREDITOR NATION'S  
WAIL**

Believing as we Norte-  
Americanos do about hemi-  
spheric solidarity and  
hands-across-the-Isthmus,  
and all that sort of thing,  
there are still some facts  
about the Pan-American set-  
up that get our Yankee  
goat.

Even after the humility  
Uncle Sam has shown at  
Lima and other conferences,  
his dignified disregard of  
cabals formed against him,  
his patience with the pres-  
ent Mexican government in  
its seizures of American  
property, and so on, there  
are too many Latin-Ameri-  
can leaders inclined to de-  
fame him and kick him  
around. There are also too  
many of them inclined to  
play ball with European  
dictators who, if they had  
their way, would be taking  
those neighboring states-  
men's jobs away from them.

We do not like to discuss  
this sort of thing; we're all  
for playing ring-around-a-  
rosy. Still less do we like  
to drag into the conversa-  
tion such sordid things as  
international debts and in-  
vestments. Yet some facts  
delicately hinted at by Sen-  
ator Hiram Johnson the oth-  
er day are not entirely  
erased from our memories.  
Those facts concern a  
prevalent Latin-American  
attitude toward foreign  
debt, particularly when it is  
owed to us. The American  
Bondholders Protective As-  
sociation has mournfully  
admitted that 14 Latin-Ameri-  
can countries out of 16  
that we lent money to are  
in default. The defaulted  
bond issues number 151 out  
of 168, and the total de-  
faulted debt to our invest-  
ors being more than \$1,-  
000,000,000.

Don't we deserve some  
consideration for being so  
"sympatico" about that?

**CANDLEMAS DAY**

No doubt the sticklers  
for scientific truth are right,  
and it didn't matter a par-  
ticle whether the ground-  
hog saw his shadow on Feb-  
ruary 2. Winter will drag  
along to its end more or  
less as usual, and spring will  
give a few pre-views before  
she actually arrives with all  
her birds, flowers and other  
baggage. The ground-  
hog's shadow, or its ab-  
sence, can neither delay nor  
speed the seasons' progress.  
Nevertheless, we like both  
the groundhog and the leg-  
end about him. They af-  
ford opportunity for endless  
discussion, erudite or hu-  
morous. They suggest,  
quite as much as the seed  
catalogs, that it is time to  
plan gardens and vacations  
and household repairs and  
refreshing spring clothes.  
They are stimulating to the  
hope and the imagination.  
Photographers took a day  
off from snapping movie la-  
dies and made screen tests  
of the groundhog instead.

Superstition? No, merely  
pleasant and harmless folk-  
lore.

Light and Justice have  
left the national Capital,  
but don't worry. They'll be  
back. They are two of the  
daughters of the Resident  
Commissioner of Puerto Rico,  
and have only gone home  
for a visit with their  
sisters, Liberty, Equality,  
Fraternity and Peace.

If you want to give some-  
thing to an Old World  
friend, all right; but don't  
invest any money there.

We never thought much  
of the Congressional Rec-  
ord, but it's certainly a  
monument to free speech.

**NO, ONLY THE APPETIZERS!****HEROES OF AIR AND  
SEA**

The story of the wreck  
of the clipper "Cavalier,"  
and the rescue of 10 of its  
passengers and crew, is one  
of the great modern sea  
tales. Until the experts  
have heard and weighed all  
the information, we may not  
know why the great plane  
had to come down or why  
it split open and sank in-  
stead of riding the waves,  
as such craft are supposed  
to do.

There is no need to wait  
for further details to under-  
stand the human side of the  
story, the courage and good  
sense exercised by the sur-  
vivors under the most dif-  
ficult and frightening cir-  
cumstances. Unable to put  
on their lifebelts and with  
not enough to go around,  
the group stayed close to-  
gether, helped support each  
other, never gave way to  
panic fear or hysteria, talk-  
ing cheerfully through the  
long hours in the water and  
shouted for help when a  
ship came close enough to  
hear them.

Three men were lost, not  
for lack of their own or  
their comrades' courage and  
efforts, but from weakness  
and injury. Of the 10 who  
were saved, one was un-  
conscious for some time but  
was held up by a woman  
who is a good swimmer. A  
second had only one good  
arm, the other being in a  
cast.

The rescuers showed skill  
and courage. Excellent  
seamanship and persistence  
helped to work the miracle  
of finding and picking up  
10 small specks of humani-  
ty in the Atlantic Ocean on  
a dark night in rough seas.  
It all makes a saga that  
thrills and cheers.

**RECOVERY INDUSTRIES**

This is going to be a good  
year, says John W. Love,  
business writer, for five  
things especially—rayon,  
household equipment, arm-  
ament and aircraft. All are  
likely to make new produc-  
tion records, regardless of  
what happens in Europe or  
America. For nearly all of  
us want them and think we  
can't do without them.

Rayon, he finds, has en-  
larged its production three  
times in the last 10 years.  
Plastics, made from syn-  
thetic resins and oils, light-  
er than metals and often  
stronger than steel, are  
probably the most sensa-  
tional part of our industrial  
output. There are countless  
uses for them, including air-  
plane bodies and perhaps  
the automobile bodies that  
Henry Ford has been fore-  
casting.

"Household equipment,"  
says Mr. Love, "contains  
several of our important,  
rapidly developing indus-

**CLIMAX IN SPAIN**

As Barcelona falls, the  
world's eyes are centered  
on Spain. The war is not  
over yet; but it is assum-  
ed that if Franco and his  
Fascist allies can crush  
northern Spain, they can  
also crush southern Spain.  
So Republican Spain is dy-  
ing. It may even be that  
Spain itself, as a separate  
and self-contained nation, is  
dying. The dictators may  
divide it among themselves.  
They will doubtless divide  
it economically if not terri-  
torially, for they have not  
been pouring into Spain for  
nothing their money, war  
equipment and troops. It  
has been intervention for  
power and profit, while the  
nations that try to mind  
their own business and fol-  
low civilized procedure  
looked on helplessly.

But the world's gaze is  
not confined to Spain, for  
Spain is but a center and  
a symbol. The echoes from  
those bombs and the heat  
from that fire spread over  
the world. Statesmen are  
taking counsel, soldiers are  
marching, in many coun-  
tries.

Having spent the strength  
of their countries on arm-  
ament, Hitler and Mussolini  
are desperate. Nobody  
knows what those great  
gamblers and fanatics will  
do. The free nations, the  
democracies and semi-dem-  
ocracies, have to draw their  
lines tighter. It may be that  
they can still control the  
situation by economic pres-  
sure.

**DEMOCRACY UP**

The democracies, recent-  
ly on the run, are regaining  
their confidence in spite of  
the fascist victory in Spain.  
France, which lately seem-  
ed going to pieces political-  
ly, is united again and de-  
fying Italian aggression.

Britain, seemingly as-  
sured that Italy will not bo-  
ther her, goes ahead steadily  
with vast war preparations,  
without trembling every  
time a Nazi leader roars.  
One of the most reassur-  
ing facts is that Poland,  
both literally and figura-  
tively, "in the middle" with

regard to Germany and Rus-  
sia, maintains a free hand in  
spite of Nazi wooings. Po-  
land is one continental na-  
tion that really seems to  
have got something out of  
the World War. She is free  
and self-confident, larger  
and stronger than she has  
been for centuries, and  
could give a good account  
of herself in any military  
struggle. Her refusal to  
become a Hitler appendage  
may keep the Nazis from  
attacking Russia. As a po-  
tential ally of either, she  
has great stabilizing value.

As for the United States,  
strongest of democracies,  
we seem at last to realize  
the state of the world, to  
know what is going on and  
where our interests lie. We  
are moving along lines cal-  
culated to strengthen dem-  
ocracy abroad, to unify  
ourselves at home, and to  
be prepared militarily for  
defense against any foreign  
attack.

Odd coincidence—just as  
we get rid of gorillas in  
America, they have a guer-  
rilla wave in China.

No, Hitler and Goering  
and Goebbels are not crazy.  
They're just economic  
surrealists.

"Mexico for Mexicans" is  
O. K., but Mexico for Na-  
zis is something else again.

**TWO STOLEN AUTOS  
ARE RECOVERED BY  
SHERIFF AND DEPUTY**

Two automobiles recently stolen  
here have been recovered this week  
by Sheriff C. O. Curington and  
Deputy Sheriff Spencer.  
The automobile of David Castles,  
stolen Jan. 20, has been recovered  
in Dallas where it had been sold  
and resold. The officers said the  
car had been changed and the car had  
been registered as a rebuilt vehicle.  
The automobile belonging to Fannie  
Sue Davis, stolen Jan. 3, has  
been recovered in Ellis county.  
It had been stored in a barn.  
One arrest has been made.  
The cases will be presented be-  
fore the Navarro county grand  
jury when it reconvenes Feb. 14.

**Total Poll Taxes  
Paid This Year To  
Exceed 6,000 Mark**

The total poll taxes paid this  
year will exceed the 6,000 mark, it  
was reported at the office of T. A.  
Farmer, assessor and collector of  
taxes, early Saturday afternoon.  
The mail has not been completed,  
but the 6,000 mark was passed Sat-  
urday morning. It was estimated  
there were about 50 more to be  
written from the orders sent in be-  
fore the time-limit, midnight, Jan.  
31.

**Oil Mill Employee  
Injured Thursday**

Percy Mullins, negro, employee  
of the Southland Cotton Oil com-  
pany, received serious wounds to  
the left foot and leg late Thurs-  
day afternoon when his foot ac-  
cidentally stepped into a convey-  
or, it was reported Friday.  
The injured negro was rushed  
to the P. and S. Hospital for at-  
tention. No bones were broken,  
but severe cuts and lacerations  
were sustained.

**OVER HUNDRED NEW  
EMPLOYES OF FARM  
SECURITY IN TEXAS****PRESSURE OF INCREASING  
FSA LOANS APPLICATIONS  
CAUSE OF INCREASE**

DALLAS, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Addi-  
tional employees have been as-  
signed to every office of the farm  
security administration in Texas,  
and 12 new offices opened, to  
handle the pressure of increas-  
ing applications for FSA loans,  
announces C. M. Evans, regional  
director. New personnel includes  
55 typists and 50 assistants, men  
and women.

Evans said almost twice as  
much money had been loaned  
to date as in the same period  
last year. Collections improved  
by at least 50 per cent, he said,  
due largely to marketing of live-  
stock and livestock products made  
possible through the FSA loans.

A review of progress made by  
FSA borrowers for the past year  
shows these low-income farmers,  
many of whom had previously  
been receiving direct relief grants,  
have made substantial progress  
toward economic independence  
through FSA financing and guid-  
ance.

A comparison of their condition  
in 1937, before being brought in-  
to the FSA program, with their  
condition at the end of their first  
year (1938) under FSA guidance,  
showed that a typical group of  
new borrowers has increased  
their net worth from \$936 to \$1,-  
093.

They had been aided to rent  
farms averaging 110 acres, com-  
pared with their previous 82  
acres. They now own four head  
of subsistence livestock as com-  
pared with 2 1/2 head per family  
previously, and three work ani-  
mals as compared with two. Their  
hogs increased from the 1937 two  
to more than four per family,  
and their previous flock of 35  
hens has been more than doubled.

Before coming into the pro-  
gram, these families had put up  
eighteen quarts of fruit and veg-  
etables per person, which, under  
their first year's FSA guidance  
was increased to 63.

Of this typical group of  
Texas families selected for a cross-  
section of the new Texas bor-  
rowers, 992 have written leases  
as against 182 who had such  
leases before entering the pro-  
gram. Leases for 1938, the one  
year now are held by 209 as  
against 39 in the previous year.  
Pressure cookers now are owned  
by 1,885, where 689 had them  
previously.

**YOUNG BUSINESS  
MEN PLAN TO FORM  
LOCAL ORGANIZATION**

A group of young business men  
of the city met Thursday night  
at 7:30 at the J. C. Penney store  
to discuss the organization of the  
Junior Chamber of Commerce or  
a Young Business Men's Asso-  
ciation.

After a round table discussion  
led by James West and Dallas  
Harmon, in which the many ad-  
vantages of a young business  
men's organization were brought  
out, it was voted to meet again  
next Friday night at 7:30 on the  
mezzanine floor of the Navarro  
hotel for the purpose of further  
discussion and completion of the  
organization of a Young Business  
Men's Association.

Mr. Harmon stated Friday  
morning that an invitation was  
extended to all young men of the  
city to attend the meeting Fri-  
day night.

**Weary?  
Not now!**

... thanks to Black-  
draught. Often that  
droopy, tired feeling is caused  
by constipation, an everyday  
kind of energy. Don't put up  
with it. Try the fine old  
vegetable medicine that sim-  
ply makes the lazy colon go  
back to work and brings  
prompt relief. Just ask for

**BLACK-DRAUGHT..**

"An old friend  
of the family."

DR. O. L. SMITH  
DENTIST

Office 70 - Phones - Res. 393  
Office Over McDonald  
Drug Co. No. 22.

**CHICKENS • CHICKENS**

Bring us your Hens, Pullets  
or Roosters, we need them all  
and will pay top market price  
in cash. Bring us your Sour  
Cream. - New Location.  
C. L. McMANUS  
210 East Fifth Avenue

**L. L. Levy Winner  
Of Prize In Ad  
Writing Contest**

L. L. Levy, ad writer for K.  
Wolens Department Stores, was  
recently awarded a \$10 prize by  
the Pepsodent Company for pre-  
paring one of the five outstanding  
ads in the national campaign dur-  
ing the month of December.  
The prize winning ad appeared  
in the Corsicana Semi-Weekly  
Light of December 6. A letter of  
congratulation accompanied the  
check and another was received  
from the company by executives  
of the department stores.

**ELLIS COUNTY HAS  
TOWN NAMED 'BOZ,'  
VOTE BAROMETER**

ITALY, Feb. 3.—(AP)—Texas  
catch-a-catch-can nomenclature  
is enriched through the discovery  
of R. E. Sparkman, historian of  
Ellis county, that the United  
States postal guide once listed  
Boz as a postoffice in that sub-  
division of Texas. It was estab-  
lished in 1891 and absorbed into  
the rural delivery in 1908.

The origin of the name is un-  
known, but Mr. Sparkman specu-  
lates there may have been an  
early settler named Bozeman,  
which was reduced to one syllable  
to identify the community and,  
progressively, the post-office.

Three postmasters served and  
each was a March appointee.  
The postoffice is gone but vil-  
lage remains an active center of  
county life. The general mer-  
chandise store of Ira Graves, the  
last postmaster, is the rallying  
place for citizens who congregate  
at evening to get the latest news  
and decide political issues.

"As Boz goes (politically) Ellis  
county goes," Mr. Sparkman says,  
"has become a maxim in county  
politics."

Boz is surrounded by fertile  
land and many springs and the  
families of pioneers and their de-  
scendants long have been promi-  
nent in county affairs. Bethel  
church, a well-kept stone struc-  
ture, is known as one of the out-  
standing rural churches of South-  
ern Methodist, and Bethel cem-  
tery, Mr. Sparkman says, "is the  
most beautiful and best kept in  
Ellis county."

Buried there are pioneers who  
hewed from the forest the logs to  
build near the gurgling springs  
many of the first homes erected  
in Central Texas.

**Personal**

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carmichael  
of Bryan were Corsicana visitors  
Saturday en route to spend the  
week-end with their parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. V. P. Moore at Emmett.  
County Commissioner J. N. George  
of Blooming Grove was here Satur-  
day afternoon.

**Financial Friend**

• We like to feel that we are your fi-  
nancial friend. There is hardly a man  
or woman who does not need help and  
counsel in money matters at some time  
or other. It is in these countless daily  
crises in the lives of people that we are  
most anxious to serve.

• Come in and discuss your problems  
with us. Let us tell you about our help-  
ful services and give you the benefit  
of our experience with financial mat-  
ters.

• You will find that it pays to work  
hand in hand with your bank.

**The  
First National Bank**

Corsicana, Texas  
"THE OLD RELIABLE, SINCE 1869"  
United States Government Depository

**CLARENCE POWELL,  
CONSTABLE, FILES  
ANNUAL REPORT**

The annual report of Clarence  
Powell, constable, precinct 1, as  
filed in the office of R. Arthur  
Caldwell, district clerk, shows the  
total receipts of the office for  
1938 at \$2,943.01.  
The report included:  
Examining trials, district court,  
\$107.14.  
Justice courts, misdemeanor  
cases, \$2,373.46; county court,  
\$7.45; and fines collected at the  
jail \$50.10.

Under civil cases, \$243.80 was  
earned \$41.80 was uncollected and  
\$201.67 was collected.  
Out-of-county civil work was  
\$132.00. Total collected \$2,902.21.  
Deductions included \$520 for  
deputy salaries, \$2,100 officers salary,  
stationary \$10, telephone and  
telegram \$50, traveling expenses  
\$240, postage \$24, labor weighing  
trucks \$132. Total authorized de-  
ductions \$3,076. Retained by of-  
ficer \$1,867.01, leaving a deficit  
of \$322.99 from the maximum al-  
lowed.

**Refused Overcoat  
Man, Cold, Took One**

A resident of Navarro county  
took a short cut through govern-  
mental red tape to secure an over-  
coat at the relief headquarters here  
Friday morning and a few minutes  
later was in custody of county of-  
ficers. A theft charge was filed  
against him Friday afternoon, ac-  
cepted in the office of Chas. T.  
Banister, criminal district attor-  
ney.

It is alleged that the man sought  
a government-issued overcoat and  
when his request was refused, he  
appropriated one, donned it and  
left the relief headquarters over  
the reported warnings and protests  
of relief officials.

A short time later the accused  
man came to the courthouse and  
told Deputy Sheriff Jeff Spencer  
what had taken place, and they re-  
turned to the relief headquarters.  
Bond was expected to be arranged  
during the afternoon.

He is quoted as telling officers  
he was cold, needed a coat badly,  
and when his request was denied  
him, he decided to take the gar-  
ment. He had seen many others  
with similar overcoats that had  
been issued.

## OVERWHELMING VOTE IN HOUSE CONTINUES DIES COMMITTEE

### BITTER FIGHT ON UNAMERICAN COMMITTEE PROBES FAIL BLOCK PROBE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(P)—The house voted overwhelmingly today to continue for another year an investigation of un-American activities and propaganda.

Speaker Bankhead announced he will call vote was 344 to 31.

That action brought to an end, at least for the time being, one of the bitterest controversies of the new congress.

Opponents had leveled accusations of unfairness and un-Americanism at the committee which handled the inquiry last year under the chairmanship of Rep. Dies (D-Texas).

Dies himself took the floor just before the final vote to assert that from the start "a well organized attempt" had been made to discredit the committee by ridicule.

The resolution re-establishing the committee until Jan. 3, 1940, does not require action by the senate or the president's signature.

Speaker Bankhead already has announced his intention to reappoint Dies chairman and name to the committee again the members who served in the last congress.

There is one vacancy. At the outset, Rep. Cook, (D-Mich.) tried to block the resolution with a parliamentary objection, which immediately was tossed aside.

The house had an hour to debate the measure, since Rep. Smith (D-Wash.) blocked an attempt to double the time.

At the end of the hour, the resolution provides no funds for a further inquiry, but Chairman Warren (D-NC) obtained permission for the committee to hold afternoon sessions next week to discuss a measure to supply more funds.

Rep. Dies (D-Texas), scheduled to be reappointed chairman of the investigating body, has asked for \$150,000 but the house is expected to compromise on \$100,000.

At President Roosevelt's press conference, he branded as a "deliberate lie" a statement he said the American frontier is on the Rhine.

He restricted American opposition to foreign entanglements and said since reports of his committee with senate military committees last week had given an erroneous impression of this country's foreign policy.

Arthur L. Johnson, the general secretary of the committee, told a house committee that his group had the "sanest" pension system yet advocated. He proposed a 2 per cent income tax to finance the pension plan.

He also proposed a pension plan for the aged of from \$30 to \$60 a month.

May Bring Matter Into Open. "Unless this practice stops," the aggressive Texas said, "the aggressive Texas said, 'the open and name the witnesses who said they had been investigated.'"

"They charged the justice department is investigating our witnesses instead of the facts about un-Americanism," he asserted.

Attorney General Murphy has ordered a department investigation of "isms" reported to Dies committee. The case was approved to continue the Dies investigation for a year and the house was expected to adopt the recommendations today.

There will be a record vote and it's going to be overwhelming," said Rep. Dies (D-Texas) who headed the committee during the last congress and is slated to do so again.

House and senate had little to do but wait for committees to act on some of the bills they have been studying.

The only measure which has cleared congress thus far—a \$725,000 appropriation for WPA operations to June 30—received final approval yesterday. The house completed action by agreeing to a compromise which would provide provisions for stripping politics from relief and by rejecting demands of Southerners that WPA wage differentials be slashed.

Despite inclement weather conditions, the military committee, however, was called together to decide whether to make public the records, exclusive of military secrets, of the state of the proposed sale of warplanes to France.

The house military and naval committees were considering portions of the president's defense program.

Admitted High Court Practice. Today, Dies was admitted to practice before the supreme court. He sought the privilege in order to appear at proceedings in the United States district court at Joseph Strecker of Hot Springs, Ark.

Dies committee have contended Secretary Perkins should report Harry Bridges, CIO leader on the West Coast, as a subversive. Dies committee have contended the Bridges case was in abeyance pending final action on Strecker's, which she said was similar.

Rep. Taylor (R-Tenn.), referring to statements that Dies wanted to use the committee to advance himself politically, said in the house debate:

"I think that Martin Dies would make better president than some of those I've seen since I came to congress 20 years ago—and I don't mean Herbert Hoover!"

With members taking the debate in minutes and half-minute bits because of shortage of time, Rep. Healy (D-Mass.), a member of the committee, expressed a hope it would be "guided by the idea of dealing with facts" and these would be "less sensationalism and less appeal to the grandstand."

Democrats jeered when Rep. Smith (R-Ohio) shouted the committee would have to look no farther than Washington to determine how totalitarian government work.

Worthington Street Improvements. WORTHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(Sp.)—Worthington, which has the decline of having the most paved streets of any town of its size in the state, is having streets not paved surfaced with crushed rock. The WPA labor is being used in the work.

## Once GOP Keynote

### FREDERICK STEIWER, LEADING REPUBLICAN, DIES IN CAPITAL

#### WAS GOP CONVENTION KEYNOTE IN 1936 AND MENTIONED FOR PRESIDENCY

##### WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(P)—

Frederick Steiwer, who served 11 years as a republican senator from Oregon, died early today at the age of 65.

Near the end of his second term he resigned from the senate Jan. 31, 1938 to practice law here. He had not been in the best of health for some time.

Steiwer delivered the keynote address at the Republican National convention in Cleveland in 1936, and had been mentioned that year as a possible presidential nominee.

Frederick Steiwer, whose physique reflected the bigness of the west, was one of the most capable constitutional lawyers of his time in congress.

A fierce opponent of all legislation which he thought might disturb the balance of power between the three branches of American government, Steiwer's profound knowledge of constitutional law was perhaps best illustrated in the historic fight over President Roosevelt's supreme court reorganization plan. He performed a large part of the work of preparing the history-making senate committee report which in 1937 opposed the president's plan and started it off to legislative oblivion.

The constitution was Steiwer's political philosophy and in his 11 years as the junior senator from Oregon, 1926-38, he became famous for his defense of it. In committee action upon the president's plan, he attacked the Democratic and independent Republican foes, challenging their delegation of legislative authority to the executive branch in the turbulent years of Mayor Duggan's administration.

So vigorous were his expressions that in 1936 the Republicans chose him at their national convention to deliver the keynote address.

In 1938, nine months before his second term expired, he suddenly resigned, pleading the necessity of finding a less costly living for his family and his own health, which had broken in 1938.

He left congress to become a partner in a Washington law firm.

Although he never talked much about his political career, his friends and the marvel of his friends for his ability to tramp tirelessly through forests in search of fish or game, was speeded to his decision to re-enter private life by a major operation undergone in 1938. Friends quoted him as saying afterward:

"I thought I was an iron man like my father but I guess not. Steiwer was born in 1873, the son of a ranchman in the Willamette valley, 12 miles south of Salem, Ore. on October 13, 1883, the son of John and Ada May Steiwer. His mother was a daughter of Oregon's first governor, Samuel E. May.

The lore and still of the outdoor life to which he was bred never deserted him and his methodical tramping when hunting for typical specimens of his steady methods in his profession. A former law partner, Robert Maguire, once remarked that Steiwer sometimes seemed slow to start but he was, nonetheless, one of the most accurate and deliberate lawyers in a court room because of his uncanny ability to project his mind into all angles of a case.

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## PROPOSAL MADE TO PUT NEW TEETH IN ELECTION LAWS AND SET UP CONGRESSIONAL GUARD

### WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—(P)—A

proposal to put new teeth into election laws and set up a congressional guard to guarantee enforcement came today from Senator Nye (R-Nev.).

Nye is a member of a subcommittee appointed yesterday to draft permanent legislation to prevent political coercion of government employees.

The whole field of political coercion, government workers must be explored, and we must co-ordinate and revise our laws to bring them up to date and make them enforceable," Nye asserted.

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## CONSCIENCE DRIVES MAN BACK TO ADMIT MURDER WIFE, SON YOUNG DENTIST FLED AFTER CRIME AND MARRIED AGAIN; TO FACE TRIAL

### PITTSBURGH, Feb. 3.—(P)—

District Attorney Andrew T. Park related today the bizarre story of a conscience-harried young dentist, who, although married, fled from the law and admitted the slaying of his son and first wife.

Unsuccessful as a dentist 34-year old Dr. Norman Stewart, 2nd, of Pittsburgh, Pa., was a grocery clerk and bartender, stole \$300 from a Jacksonville, Fla., hotel to finance the trip and came here yesterday, leaving the woman he married a year ago in Jacksonville, Park said.

For four hours last night, arms folded and showing no emotion, Stewart detailed in a gruesome statement how he drove his wife and son to their deaths.

He left congress to become a partner in a Washington law firm.

Although he never talked much about his political career, his friends and the marvel of his friends for his ability to tramp tirelessly through forests in search of fish or game, was speeded to his decision to re-enter private life by a major operation undergone in 1938. Friends quoted him as saying afterward:

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## DECIDE DISTRICT TEAM IN CONTESTS SLATED THIS WEEK

### SEVERAL UPSETS NOTED IN TOURNAMENTS STAGED AT BARRY

By K. HOLMES  
Winners in Classes A, B and C basketball tournaments will play at Barry this week for the Navarro county championship. Blooming Grove, class A winner, will meet Emmett, class C, on Wednesday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m. Powell, class B winner, plays Blooming Grove at 8 o'clock Thursday and the Emmett-Powell game will be Friday at 8 o'clock. Winner of two of these games will present Navarro county at the district meet.

The Powell Panthers won first place from Pearsley by a score of 16 to 11 in the finals of the Class B interscholastic league basketball meet at Barry Saturday night, after a day of games that upset the dopesters' prognostications and left Emmett and Navarro, boys favoring Navarro, to fight for their place in the consolation tilt instead of for first place in the finals.

**Semifinal Battles**  
The semi-finals began Saturday afternoon with a bitter battle between Powell and Emmett, in which the Panthers, a great fighting team, overturned the dopesters' prognostications by holding the bold Buccaneers down all the way through an agonizing close contest. The game ended 22 to 20 in favor of Powell, when Harry Crane, backbone of the Emmett defense, fouled out a couple of minutes before the whistle. The canny Powell fire concentrated on Emmett's fast-shooting Joe Don Harrell, who found himself so well picketed by grim Panther guardsmen that he was able to sink only two field goals on the entire game. Scoring by players: For Powell, Aven 12, Bancroft 4, Johnston 4, Holloway 3; for Emmett: Drane 6, Breithaupt 2, Harrell 4, Ray 3 and Rich 5.

Pearsley staged the second upset of the day when their team, small but fast, set the Navarro boys down by a score of 17 to 15. Navarro, a steady, hard-working team and rated one of the best in the county led all through the first three quarters, but Pearsley exploded a burst of shooting in the last quarter that sent their score soaring past Navarro's. Payne of Pearsley had 4 points to his credit, Jesse Harren 2, Ganze 5, Bolen 4 and Roy Herin 2, while for Navarro Gandy scored 2 points, Doolen 1, L. Whitfield 1, Harvold 1 and Jennings 1.

**Emmett Winner**  
Finals in the class C competition were between Emmett and Pickett, with the big Emmett boys landing on top by a score of 33 to 18. The class C champions are rated by some experts as the best team in the county. Brown of Emmett scored 10 points, Green 10, Whitfield 11, and Coffey 2. Pickett's scorers were Henry 6, Farmer 4, Wilson 2, N. Wallis 2, D. Wallis 4.

Emmett won over Navarro, 18 to 13, in the consolation game played to determine third place in Class B. Emmett scorers were Drane 11, Breithaupt 2, Harrell 10, Ray 3, Rich 2; for Navarro: Doolen 2, L. Whitfield 2, Harvold 2, Ray 3, Rich 2; for Navarro: Doolen 2, L. Whitfield 2, Harvold 2, Ray 3, Rich 2.

## Y INDEPENDENT BASKETBALL LEAGUE TO END SEASON

The upper bracket of the YMCA Independent Basketball League will conclude its season Monday night at 8 o'clock. At that time, Dr. Pepper will meet Oil City for the championship of the upper division of the league. Both teams are undefeated in the present play off season.

At 9 o'clock K. Wolens will play Rural Shade to decide third and fourth positions in the league. Last Thursday night Currie defeated Bazette 34-22. As a result, Tuesday night Currie will play a championship game against the winner of the Oil City-Dr. Pepper game for first place Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

At 7 o'clock Tuesday night Union High will play the winner of the Rural Shade-K. Wolens game to decide the third place in the championship finals. At 9 o'clock Bazette will play the loser of the Oil City and Dr. Pepper game to decide the second place.

Irish boys and girls teams have given notice that they will enter the invitation championships which will open Wednesday night.

## BOMBINGS

(Continued From Page One)  
to the "government of the Irish republic," threatened active intervention in Britain's "military or commercial life" unless British forces were withdrawn from Eire (Ireland).

**Has Two Sections.**  
Other documents, the attorney said, detailed the alleged I. R. A. main plan as having two sections—propaganda and action.

The latter, under six headings, he said disclosed detailed arrangements for countrywide sabotage of military, air and naval establishments and stores, public services—including postal telegraph and radio systems—key industries, newspapers, water supplies, drainage systems and fire brigades. The documents were said to have mentioned places like London, Birmingham and Coventry, where attacks could be staged. The attorney declared the plan also mentioned sabotage of airplane factories or stores and munition factories or stores of vital importance to the rearmament of Great Britain.

Among key industries said to be listed for attack were electric and underground railways, commerce, banking, shipping, cotton mills, grain, tobacco and liquor stores, automobile tire stores and timber yards.

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## INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL

WHO? Every single person or married person not living with husband or wife who had net income of \$500 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more, and generally, husband and wife living together, who had an aggregate net income of \$2,500 or more or an aggregate gross income of \$5,000 or more, must file returns. If in doubt, obtain form and printed instructions from collector of internal revenue.

**WHEN?** The filing period begins January 1 and ends March 15, 1939.

**WHERE?** Collector of internal revenue for this district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

**HOW?** See instructions accompanying Forms 1040 A and 1040.

**WHAT?** Four per cent normal tax on the amount of net income in excess of the personal exemption, credit for dependents, earned-income credit, and interest on obligations of the United States and obligations of instrumentalities of the United States, and credit for income in excess of \$4,000.

## INCOME TAX DON'TS

**DON'T** prepare your return without first studying the instructions accompanying the form.

**DON'T** procrastinate. Early assembling of data permits a careful consideration of all tax problems.

**DON'T** destroy the memoranda from which your return was prepared.

**DON'T** omit explanation when such information is essential to an intelligent audit. Attach memoranda to your return.

## YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

No. 5  
Personal Exemptions

In addition to the personal exemption of \$1,000 for a single person or married person not living with husband or wife and \$2,500 for married persons living together and for heads of families, a taxpayer is entitled to a credit of \$400 for each dependent under 18 years of age or incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective. The term "mentally or physically defective" means those mentally defective persons in ill health and the aged.

In order to be entitled to the \$400 credit, the taxpayer must furnish proof of the dependent's support. The credit is based upon actual financial dependency and not mere legal dependency.

For example, a father whose children receive half or more of their support from him or her, and whose support is not derived from another source is not entitled to the credit.

Neither relationship nor residence is a factor in the allowance of the \$400 credit. A taxpayer and the dependent may be residents of different cities. If husband and wife both contribute to the support of a dependent, the \$400 credit may be taken by the one contributing the chief support, and may not be divided between them.

A single person who supports in his home an aged mother is entitled not only to the \$400 credit for a dependent but also to the personal exemption of \$2,500 as the head of a family. A widower supporting under similar circumstances a dependent child under 18 years of age also is entitled to the personal exemption of \$2,500 as the head of a family, plus the \$400 credit for a dependent.

Under the Revenue Act of 1938 both the personal exemption and the credit for dependents are required to be prorated where the status of the taxpayer changed during the year.

## NO. 6

Normal Tax and Surplus Rates

The Revenue Act of 1938 provides for only one normal tax rate, that is, 4 percent on the amount of the net income in excess of allowable credits such as the personal exemption, credit for dependents, etc. The act provides for an additional credit for the purpose of the normal tax of an earned income credit of 10 percent of the amount of the earned net income but not in excess of 10 percent of the amount of the net income. The personal exemption and credit for dependents are also allowable as credits against the net income.

The purpose of the surtax, the resulting net income being designated "surtax net income." The surtax is imposed on surtax net incomes in excess of \$4,000. The rates increase in accordance with the amount of surtax net income included in varying so-called surtax brackets. On a surtax net income of \$4,000 or less there is no surtax. On a surtax net income in excess of \$4,000 and not in excess of \$6,000, the rate is 4 percent of such excess. The surtax upon a surtax net income of \$6,000 is \$80 and upon a surtax net income in excess of \$6,000 and not in excess of \$8,000, the rate is 5 percent of such excess in addition to the \$80, or a surtax of \$120 upon a surtax net income of \$8,000. The surtax on a surtax net income of \$8,000,000 is \$3,591,000, and upon a surtax net income in excess of \$8,000,000, 75 per cent of the maximum rate, is applicable to such excess, in addition to the

## Three Kerens Men

To Do Geophysical Work In Beirut Area

KERENS, Feb. 6.—(SPL.)—Drew McClung, Dwayne Floyd and Basil Penning, all of Kerens, will sail from New York Feb. 11 for Beirut, Syria, where they will do geophysical work in Bagdad and in the lower region of Iraq, near the Persian Gulf. While there they will visit the Holy Land and Jerusalem. The boys expect to be away from eight to 12 months. Miss Ima Lee Floyd and Mrs. Dwayne Floyd will accompany the party to New York for a few weeks' visit, after which they will visit in Victoria before their return home.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE FOR FIFTH MONTH RELEASED

Report of the school nurse, Mrs. Marion McAdams, for the fifth month of the school year has been released through W. H. Norwood, superintendent of public schools.

The report shows 23 school visits made, 67 home visits, 1 dressing, 7 health talks, 5 meetings, 10 children sent to doctor's offices, 2 children fitted with glasses, 9 excluded because of communicable diseases, 14 supplied with medicine, 10 vaccinated against smallpox.

Adult study groups are meeting on Tuesdays at 2 o'clock at the Robert E. Lee school and at 2 o'clock on Wednesdays at the Sam Houston school.

\$3,591,000. Many taxpayers make the error of applying the maximum rate instead of the rate provided for in the bracket in which their surtax net income is included.

Following is an example of how to compute the tax on net income of \$6,500, all of which represents earned net income, the taxpayer being single and without dependents:

Net income ..... \$6,500  
Less personal exemption ..... 1,000  
Surtax net income ..... 5,500

Balance surtax net income ..... 5,500  
Earned income credit ..... 850

Net income subject to normal tax ..... 6,650

Surtax at 4 percent on amount of surtax net income in excess of \$4,000 but not over \$6,000 ..... 80

Surtax at 5 percent on amount of surtax net income in excess of \$6,000 but not over \$8,000, 5 percent on \$1,500 ..... 75

Total surtax ..... 155

Normal tax, 4 percent on \$6,650 ..... 266

Total normal tax and surtax ..... 421

Taxpayer is entitled to read carefully the instructions accompanying Form 1040 relating to the earned-income credit and surtax, as well as all other instructions thereon, before preparing their returns.

## YOUR FEDERAL INCOME TAX

No. 7  
Duplicate Returns

Every person (except nonresident alien individuals, nonresident alien fiduciaries, nonresident foreign corporations) required to file an income return for a taxable year (calendar year or fiscal year ending in the last day of the month of 1938 or other than December) or for any taxable period in 1938, must file with the return a copy thereof on the duplicate form (green paper) which will be provided for that purpose or a photostatic or photographic copy of the original return of no larger dimensions than the original return. Such copy must be a complete duplicate of the return except that the affidavits on the duplicate form need not be filled in. The copy on the duplicate form must also include any schedules and statements attached to the original return except (1) schedule C (information to be furnished by corporations as to compensation of officers and employees in excess of \$75,000 under the Revenue Act of 1938, or \$100,000 under the Revenue Act of 1939), (2) in the case of a fiduciary return the copy of the will or trust instrument, (3) in the case of a return made by an agent the power of attorney on Form 938 or Form 939, and (4) in the case of an insurance company the copy of the annual statement made to the state insurance department.

Any person who fails to file such copy at the time permitted shall be assessed \$5 in the case of an individual or \$10 in the case of a fiduciary, partnership, or corporation return, and the collector with whom the return is filed may refuse to accept the return. In accordance with the statute above mentioned, within a reasonable time after the returns are made, the copies thereof will be made available for inspection in the office of the collector of internal revenue in which the returns are filed, by an official, body, or commission lawfully charged with the administration of any state tax law, if the inspection is requested by the collector of internal revenue for the purpose of obtaining information to be furnished to local taxing authorities. The law provides that the inspection shall be made only on written request of the governor of such state, designating the representative of such official, body, or commission to make the inspection on behalf of such state, or the collector of internal revenue. The statute does not authorize inspection of the duplicate returns by the public.

Inspection of returns is governed by subdivision (a) of section 5, which provides, in effect, that income returns made under the Revenue Act of 1938 shall be open to public inspection only to the extent expressly provided by law or as authorized by regulation of the Federal Reserve Board.

Submitted by J. W. Gayle, secretary Townsend Club No. 1, Corsicana, Texas.

**Card of Thanks.**  
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for every deed of kindness shown during the illness and death of our darling baby, Roy. We pray if you ever have such sorrow you may have such loyal friends as we have had.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Smitherman and Family.

## DR. DANIEL RUSSELL AND DAVID THRIFT ADDRESS CONFERENCE

ELECTION OF OFFICERS MAIN BUSINESS OF AFTERNOON PROGRAM

By JAMES WILLIAMSON  
Daily Sun Staff.

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## Great Britain To Buy Additional U. S. Warplanes

LONDON, Feb. 4.—(AP)—The air ministry announced today that Great Britain would purchase 250 warplanes in the United States in addition to 400 already on order.

Fifty of the new planes, the air ministry said, will be Lockheed general reconnaissance machines and the other 200 will be North American Aviation Company trainers.

"In view of the improved deliveries in prospect under orders for aircraft placed by the air ministry in the United States last year," the announcement said, "it has been possible to negotiate an increase in contracts for delivery within the period originally contemplated."

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## ANOTHER FEDERAL JUDGE IS FACING AN INVESTIGATION

SUBPOENA ISSUED FOR RECORDS JUDGE THOMAS; ORDERED BACK HOME

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Thomas was en route to South America, sailing from New York yesterday. Noonan said he sent a wireless message to the master of the vessel, requesting him to ask Judge Thomas to come ashore with the pilot.

Noonan said he received a reply saying that the judge was continuing his journey.

The U. S. attorney said one of his assistants, John J. Bowling, wanted to question Judge Thomas in connection with the "Manton case" and another assistant, Irving Kaufman, may want to question him in connection with the inquiry into the affairs of the McKesson and Robbins drug corporation. The inquiry followed the unmasking and suicide of F. Donald Coster-Musica, head of the firm, and disclosure that assets listed on the firm's credit card department were largely non-existent.

Martin T. Manton, senior judge of the U. S. circuit court of appeals resigned from the bench after he was accused by District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey of accepting loans from litigants with business before his court. Judge Manton, whose resignation becomes effective Monday, has been doing in his business affairs.

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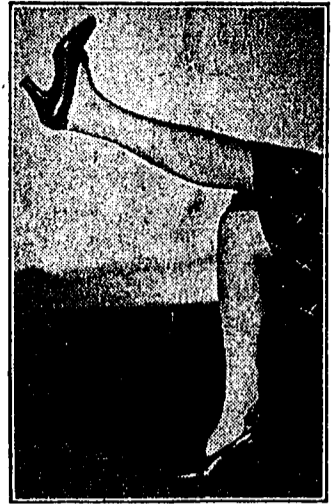
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## HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR PERSONALITY  
By VERONICA DENGEL

## ALLURING ANKLES

Pretty ankles are the secret wish of every woman. If she already has them, it is a joy to have someone comment about it; but if she hasn't, she is always a bit envious of those who do. The fact is, you can improve your ankles quite a lot if you will work on them. The exercise I have for you today is sure to



Stretch out from the thigh to the heel.

reduce fatty accumulation at this point, because it brings new circulation, which helps to carry off the waste deposits. Another advantage of this exercise—because it does stimulate circulation—is to make the feet warmer. I'm sure there is nothing more discomforting than cold feet, unless it might be cold hands; so if you are troubled with this condition, the exercise is beneficial for this alone. And, again, quite a few women are troubled with shortened tendons at the back of the leg due to the fact that they have worn high heels for a long time (and started to wear them at too early an age). I even have a friend who must walk around on tiptoe when she takes off her shoes; and she can never wear low-heeled sport shoes. This is very bad from a health standpoint, and should be corrected. So today's exercise is important for three reasons, and all of us

should do it for one reason or another. Sitting straight back in your chair, extend the right foot far forward, raising the thigh just a little off the chair. Stretch out from the thigh to the heel as hard as possible, and turn the toes toward you. You will feel a tensing of the muscles. When these muscles seem to quiver, give the foot—still holding the toes inward—a quick jerk or kick upward. Return to the floor and relax. Now do this with the other foot. Notice how the heel of the foot feels a bit looser in the shoe. Take off your shoes, and repeat several times. Always be sure to push the heel outward and turn the toes inward as you tense the muscles. The stretch is the important thing of you can, and kick as high as you can.

Today I am starting a weight-gaining routine for those neglected, too-thin people. I don't blame them for complaining that everyone wants to help the heavies. I'm out to correct this oversight. Tomorrow I shall have many helpful suggestions for you.

## WEIGHT-GAINING MENU

## Breakfast

Sliced Ripe Banana Honey and Cream

2 Slices Whole Wheat Toast, Buttered

2 or 3 Strips Bacon

Cup of Coffee, with Sugar and Cream

## Luncheon

Vegetable Soup

Raw Vegetable Salad, French Dressing

Dessert of Fresh Fruit, Raw or Stewed

Glass of Milk

## Dinner

Tomato Juice

2 Broiled Lamb Chops

Baked Potato, Fresh String Beans, Buttered

Shredded Raw Carrot and Celery Salad, Mayonnaise

Stewed Apples

Cup of Tea, or Half Cup Coffee

Cream but No Sugar

All requests for personal "Health, Beauty and Poise" information sent to Veronica Dengel's column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed, stamped envelope, 4 x 6 in. Address: Veronica Dengel, in care of this newspaper.

## SUNFLOWER STREET

By TOM LITTLE and TOM SIMS



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## TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

Solution of Friday's Puzzle.

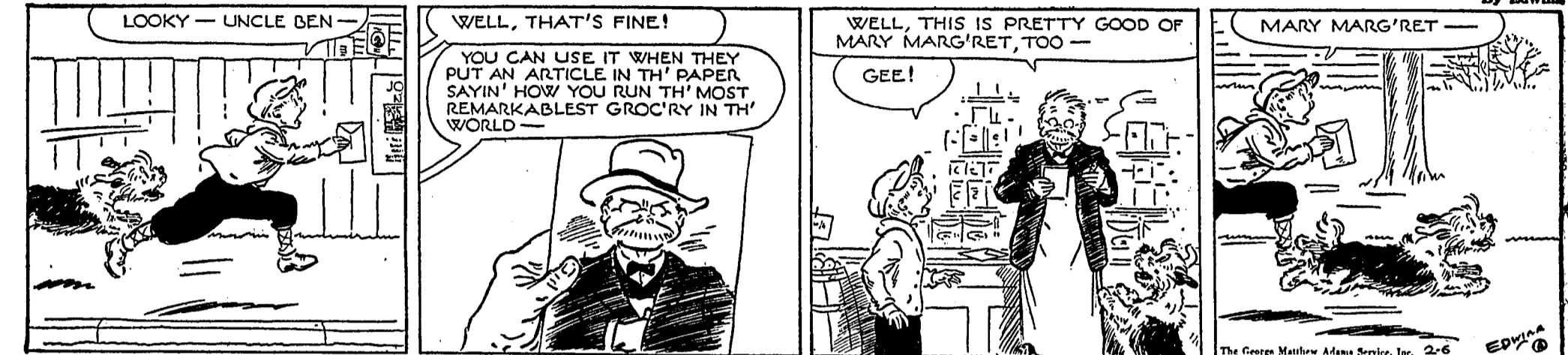
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12. Stringed instrument	21. Lamb's name
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19. Tiny	28. Equality
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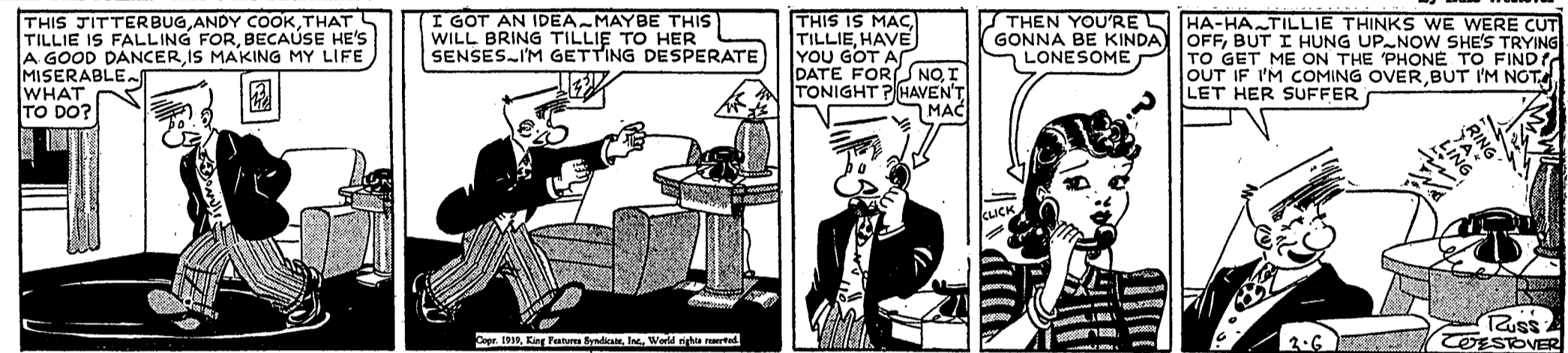
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## "CAI" STUBBS AND TIPPIE- SHE'LL BE SO PLEASED



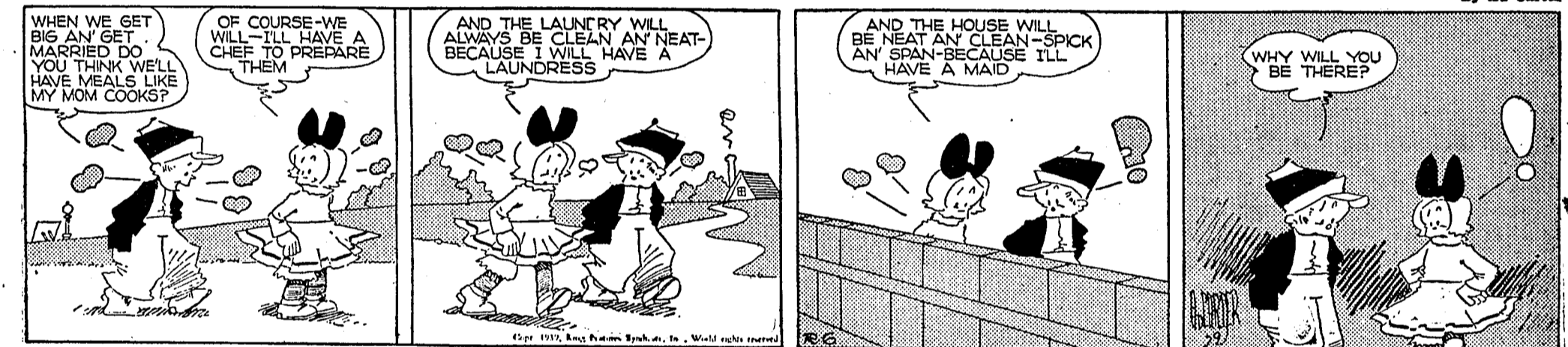
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## TILLIE THE TOLEN- MAC GETS DESPERATE!



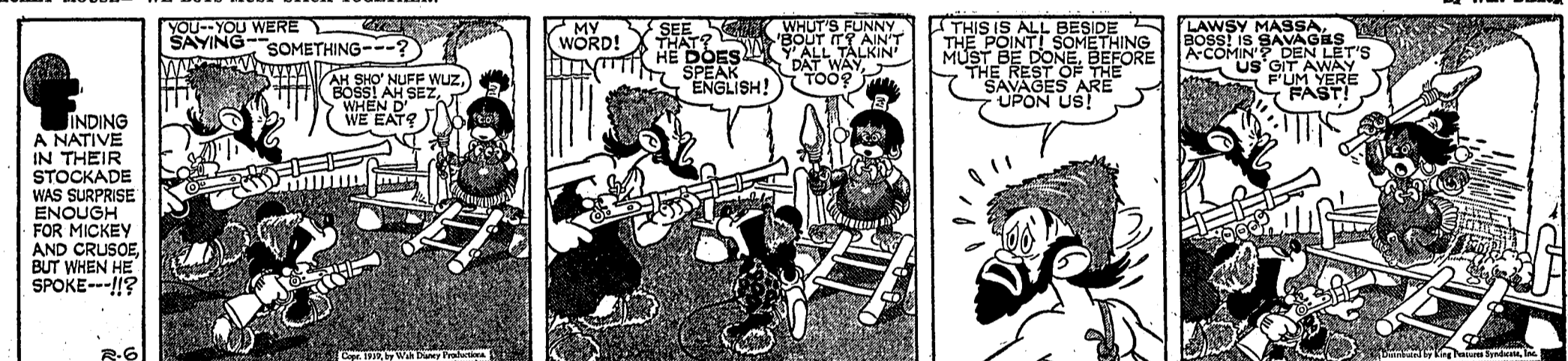
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## JUST KIDS- IT REALLY WON'T BE NECESSARY.



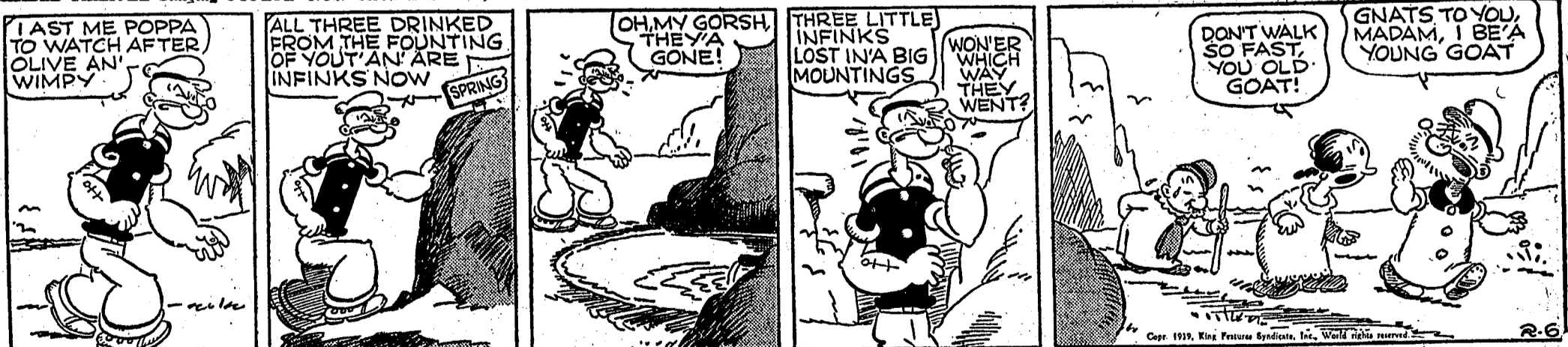
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## MICKEY MOUSE- "WE BOYS MUST STICK TOGETHER!"



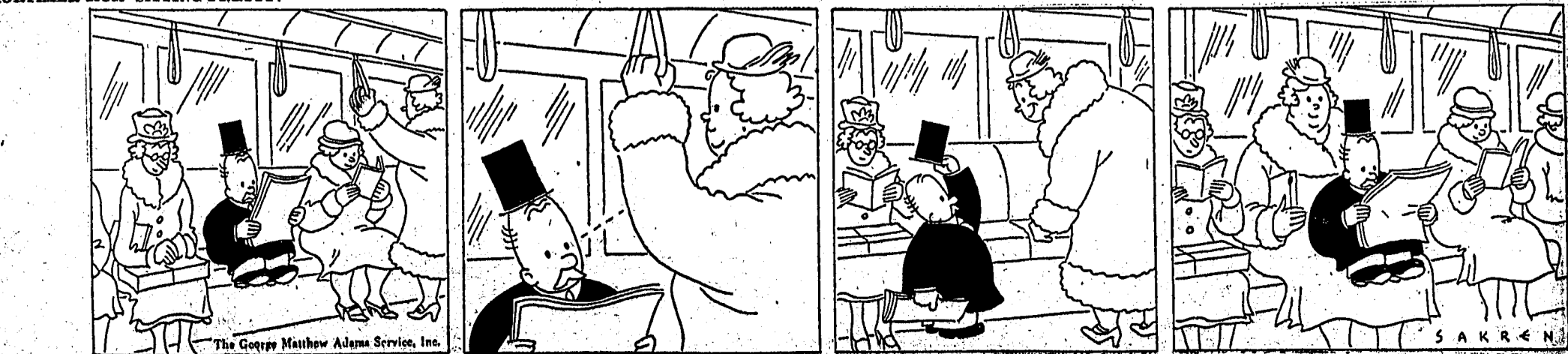
By Walt Disney

## THIMBLE THEATRE Starring POPEYE-- NOW SHOWING-- "OH, YOU 'KID'! TOMORROW-- "THE INFANTRY'S UP IN ARMS!"



By Walt Disney

## MORTIMER NUM SITTING PRETTY!



By SAKREN



## PIONEER BUSINESS AND CIVIC LEADER OF MEXIA BURIED

MEXIA, Feb. 6.—Funeral services for John R. Corley, Sr., aged 84 years, civic and financial leader of this section, who died Friday afternoon, were held here Sunday afternoon from the First Methodist church. He was a native of Alabama but had resided here since 1870. He established his furniture business when he moved to Mexia. He organized and became the first president of the Mexia War, Light and Ice company, and served as president of the first school board. He formerly was mayor of this city.

Surviving are his wife, seven daughters, Mrs. E. L. Howard, Fort Worth; Mrs. G. L. Tatum, Corsicana; Mrs. H. E. Pace, Corsicana; Mrs. D. G. Dunbar, Corsicana; Mrs. J. B. Gambrell, Austin; Mrs. Zulicka, C. Adams, Dallas; and Miss Lucille Corley, Mexia; two sons, John R. Corley, Jr., Corsicana, and Jack Corley, Mexia; a brother, D. G. Corley, Dallas; three sisters, Mrs. Kate Stanford, Mexia; Mrs. L. N. Bogue, Colorado, Mitchell county, and Mrs. Imogene Dalton, Vauxhall, Canada, and fifteen grandchildren.

## OFFICERS HOSPITAL BOARD RE-ELECTED AT SUNDAY SESSION

Officers were re-elected at the regular meeting of the Navarro County Hospital board at the P. S. Hospital Sunday afternoon. They are C. O. Weaver, Dawson, president; Z. T. Banks, Corsicana, vice-president, and Paul Moore, Corsicana, secretary-treasurer. Others members of the board are J. P. Johnson, Blooming Grove; Dr. O. C. Bowmer, Corsicana, and Dr. Gurley H. Sanders, Kerens.

The monthly report made the hospital board by Edna Benson, superintendent, revealed 59 patients admitted, including 20 charity cases. Collections were \$1,466.70. Charity work done by the hospital amounted to \$830.88, while the charity work done by the physicians amounted to \$1,695.

The total expenses for the institution during January, including a large supply of linens and operating room equipment, were \$2,027.93.

## Dr. R. C. Curtis Main Speaker For Kerens Lions Club

KERENS, Feb. 6.—(Spl.)—Dr. R. C. Curtis of Corsicana, secretary of the Navarro County Medical Society, was the principal speaker at the noon luncheon of the Kerens Lions Club last Thursday. The meeting was attended by some 30 business and professional men who thoroughly enjoyed Dr. Curtis' address on "The Doctor's View."

The Kerens Lions are now pleasantly at home in new quarters in the former Bond Drug Company building, and are presenting a series of very beneficial and enjoyable programs.

## How To Relieve Misery of Your CHEST COLD

If you are suffering from a miserable chest cold, try this: Massage throat, chest, and back with Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. Then spread a thick layer on chest and cover with warm cloth. VapoRub goes right to work to bring relief—two ways at once. (1) Direct through the skin like a poultice; (2) Direct to the irritated air-passages with its medicated vapors. This poultice-vapor action loosens phlegm—clears air-passages—checks tendency to cough—relieves local congestion. Often, by morning the worst of the cold is over.

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## News of County Home Demonstration Clubs

**White's Chapel Club.**  
The White's Chapel Home Demonstration Club will meet at the home of Mrs. P. B. Walker at two o'clock on Tuesday, February 7, 1939, instead of Wednesday, February 8, 1939. This change in the meeting date was necessitated because Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, extension specialist in clothing, wrote the county home demonstration agent that she would be in Navarro county on February 8, 1939, for a conference.

A demonstration on "Kitchen Centers" will be given by the agent at the meeting February 7, 1939.

**Barry Club**  
"Cheer and convenience are the two requirements of every kitchen that is satisfactory." Miss Clara Rettiger told 15 home demonstration club members Thursday, February 2, at the agricultural building.

"Cheer is freshly painted woodwork, pleasant view through clean, shiny window panes and potted plants.

In first place, the kitchen is a workshop. A place to prepare and serve food.

Have a well ventilated kitchen, so that food odors will be carried away quickly.

A kitchen has four centers. Food preparation, center for raw foods, sink or dish pan, colander, strainer, stew pans, brushes, garbage can, work table, or cabinet. Should have dry things that are perishable such as salt, sugar, flour, spices, etc., measuring cups, mixing bowls, rolling board, rolling pin, food chopper.

The cooking center is the stove at a right angle. Keep skillets, bread pans, and other utensils on or near stove. If stove does not have shelves or storage room, have a small table or drop desk.

Serving center is a small table with rollers, table, china, silverware and crystalware.

Cleaning away center, food left from meals, and clearing away dishes. Have sink close to dining room as possible.

Have working center according to height of person.

The group of all of our equipment has a great deal to do with our convenience in cooking.

Have plenty of light. A few doors, as many half sash windows as possible. Make drapery plans before starting to remodel your kitchen.

Refreshments carried out the Valentine motif were served consisting of heart-shaped cookies, mints, jello and hot chocolate.

**Rice 4-H Club.**  
The Rice girls met with the county agent Friday, February 4, and organized their 4-H club at the Rice High School building. They elected their officers and demonstrators and also they decided on goals.

The plan for the coming year is garden work and sewing. Each girl is supposed to plant vegetables according to the number in her family. Before the year is over a kerchief or scarf and dress is going to be made by each girl. Mrs. Cecil Fitzgerald is the sponsor.—Reporter.

**Missionary Meeting  
Held At Tupelo On  
Wednesday Morning**

A joint missionary institute of the missionary societies of the Chaffield charge, Chaffield, Tupelo and Roane, was held at Tupelo Wednesday morning, February 1, closing with a covered dish luncheon.

The meeting was opened with Miss Corinne Williams, president of the Tupelo auxiliary, in charge of the devotional service, after which Mrs. M. Dick Lowry introduced the instructors. Mrs. R. O. Sory of Corsicana was in charge of the corresponding secretaries and treasurers. Mrs. Whitehurst of Groesbeck had charge of the baby special and supplies and Mrs. J. K. Stroud instructed the presidents and vice-presidents.

After the group meetings, all assembled in the auditorium and enjoyed a very fine instructive and inspirational talk by Mrs. Stroud.

We were delighted to have with us our presiding elder, Rev. R. O. Sory, and pastor, Rev. M. Dick Lowry.

An attractive and delicious luncheon was served with a social hour enjoyed by all.—Reporter.

**Sister of Corsicana  
Man Passed Away In  
Tennessee Recently**

Deputy County Tax Assessor R. B. Mitchell received news Saturday of the recent death of his oldest sister, Mrs. Mary C. Stubblefield of Mooresburg, Tenn. Mrs. Stubblefield was the oldest of nine children, four of whom have preceded her in death.

Besides her immediate family, Mrs. Stubblefield is survived by Mr. Mitchell of this city, Tom Mitchell of Morristown, Tenn., Mrs. Florence McOnally of Neotom, Tenn., and Mrs. J. T. Murray of Yakima, Wash.

**Baby Buried In  
Waco on Sunday**

WACO, Feb. 6.—(Spl.)—Funeral services were held here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Joyce Beth Schwartz, 7-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Schwartz of Hubbard, who died in a local hospital Friday afternoon.

Rabbi Wolfe Macht conducted the services. Interment was made in the Rodef Shalom cemetery.

**Windshield Wiper  
Service**

Don't take chances while it is raining. If your windshield wiper does not work, drive to us, we can repair it. Our prices are very reasonable.

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# What Is This "Fair Trade Practice Act?"

It's Just a Plain Price Fixing - - - Price Raising Act Being Masqueraded Under A Noble Sounding Name In Our Opinion

The Act as heretofore written provides that a manufacturer of branded merchandise of any kind may hereafter fix the minimum retail price at which that merchandise may be sold and that after the price is set it shall be UNLAWFUL for any merchant to sell at LESS than that price.

No public body regulates this manufacturer. He can set the price as high as he wants to whether you or we like it or not.

To illustrate: If a manufacturer fixes a minimum retail price of \$2.00 on any branded item—it will then be UNLAWFUL for us to sell this item to you for \$1.29 or any other price less than \$2.00 EVEN IF THE ITEM ONLY COST US \$1.00.

## This Law Will Partially Repeal The Anti-Trust Laws

Our lawyer says Federal Anti-Trust Laws have heretofore been construed to prohibit fixing of retail prices. State Anti-Trust Acts also prohibit price fixing. Our Texas courts have denounced price fixing as monopoly.

Advocates of price fixing asked Congress in 1937 to pass a law known as the Miller-Tydings or the National Fair Trade Act which would amend the Federal Anti-Trust Acts so as to allow price fixing among those States only which had passed State Fair Trade Acts.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT in a letter to the president of the Senate April 24, 1937, said in part:

"Indeed, the Commission (Federal Trade Commission) says: 'There is great probability that manufacturers and dealers may abuse the power to arbitrarily fix resale prices by unduly increasing prices, resulting in bitter resentment on the part of the consuming public, especially in this period of rising prices.'

Since we seem to be in a period of rising retail prices, this bill should not, in my judgment, receive the consideration of the Congress until the whole matter can be more fully explored."

The bill was thought to be dead. In the closing days of the 75th Congress the Miller-Tydings Bill was tacked on as a rider to a Revenue Bill for the District of Columbia, and passed as a part of that bill. The President then had to veto the Revenue Bill to raise funds of the District or approve also the Miller-Tydings or (National Fair Trade Act).

Before Congress one of the principal arguments used for this National Act was: "This is only an enabling act. Even if the bill passes prices can't be fixed except in States which have passed State 'Fair Trade Acts.' Even if you oppose price fixing you can still vote for this enabling act. The question of the merits of price fixing should be considered by the State Legislatures not by Congress."

## Farm and Consumer Groups Oppose So-Called "Fair Trade Practice Act"

NATIONAL GRANGE in a resolution adopted November 28, 1937, said:

"Whereas, the Miller-Tydings Resale Price Maintenance Act passed in the closing days of the last session of Congress, together with the so-called 'Fair Trade Acts' recently enacted by many State Legislatures, not only weaken the Anti-trust laws but enable manufacturers and distributors to fix prices without State or Federal supervision of any kind whatsoever, and in addition make it illegal for articles to be sold at less than the prices fixed, and,

"Whereas, these state laws were enacted in most cases without public hearings, and with little or no understanding on the part of consumers as to their price fixing and price effect, and the Miller-Tydings Act was passed by subterfuge and in direct opposition to the expressed wishes of President Roosevelt, the Federal Trade Commission, all the leading farm organizations and many large consumers groups.

"Therefore, Be it Resolved, that the National Grange urges the immediate repeal of the Miller-Tydings act and recommends to the State Granges that they move to secure the repeal of the equivalent state laws erroneously called state 'fair trade acts.'"

AMERICAN HOME ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION in a resolution, says: "Endorsement of satisfactory measures for the protection of the ultimate consumer, such as adequate representation of the consumer in the Federal Government, legislation for impartial recognition of foods, drugs, cosmetics and for fiber content and continued opposition to legislation for resale price maintenance, and other forms of price fixing."

## This Law If Passed Will Cost You, The Consumer, Millions of Dollars a Year In Our Opinion

A raise in retail prices of only 4 percent will cost the buyers of goods in Texas about \$60,000,000.00 per year.

The extra prices you pay will not be for any broad and needy group—but for a few manufacturers, wholesalers and some retailers. Many manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers oppose the bill.

### LET'S KEEP THE RECORD STRAIGHT

1. We DO NOT oppose a reasonable minimum wage and maximum hour law for employees in retailing.

2. We DO NOT oppose laws prohibiting misrepresentation in advertising, or other fraudulent or semi-fraudulent practices.

WE DO OPPOSE LAWS GUARANTEEING MARGINS OF PROFITS FOR THE BENEFIT OF A VERY FEW ONLY AND AT THE EXPENSE OF 7,000,000 BUYERS OF GOODS IN TEXAS AND TO THE DAMAGE OF A GREAT MANY SMALL AND MEDIUM-SIZED RETAILERS IN THE STATE.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT in his letter approving the bill, August 18, 1937, said in part:

"There has been before me for ten days an important and lengthy bill to provide additional revenue for the District of Columbia. To this bill during its discussion in the Senate was attached a wholly unrelated amendment pertaining to existing anti-trust laws, insofar as they affect retail sales.

"This is the first instance during my term of office that this vicious practice of attaching unrelated riders to tax or appropriation bills has occurred.

"The country will recognize the unfairness of placing any President in the position of having to disapprove a major bill just because an extraneous rider has been attached to it. In the present case, I have no hesitation in approving the tax legislation for the District of Columbia, but I have distinct hesitation in approving the rider which weakens the anti-trust laws."

Thus we find the strategy of "Fair Trade Practice" advocates branded as vicious by the President of the United States.

Advocates of price fixing now want this State Fair Trade Practice Act passed for three reasons: (1) Federal Anti-Trust Acts still prohibit price fixing in Texas by out-of-state manufacturers until such a State Act is passed. (2) They want price fixing exempt from State Anti-Trust Acts. (3) They want to not only give manufacturers the legal right to fix minimum retail prices without any supervision or regulation—but make it unlawful for any merchant to sell at less than the price so fixed.

We don't take seriously the argument of those supporting this bill, "That the manufacturer is merely given permission to fix prices—he isn't forced to by law to do so."

Give him permission and some of them and the pressure group, trying to pass this law, will see that many prices you pay are raised. If proponents feel that manufacturers will not fix and raise prices if given permission by law to do so—THEN WHY THE BILL? Anyone can lower prices without a law. You know that.

AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION in a resolution December 15, 1937, said:

"We favor legislation that will effectively control industry and labor, to the end that monopolistic practices, not permitted under legal regulation, shall be eliminated. We urge that federal and state laws legalizing resale price maintenance be repealed."

These well known farm and producer groups oppose this type of legislation, yet the proponents of price-fixing talk vaguely about helping the producer. There is nothing in this so-called Fair Trade Practice Act to do anything but permit price fixing. Price fixing is as a rule price raising. There isn't a line in it to help the farmer, working man or anyone else except manufacturers, a few wholesalers and a few retailers.

### HOW YOU CAN HELP KILL THIS BILL

Your Senator and your Representatives will welcome your views. If we who oppose this bill do not express our opposition, our Senator and Representatives may honestly get the impression that very few people oppose the bill. Write or otherwise let them know how you feel.

### THESE MEN REPRESENT NAVARRO COUNTY AT AUSTIN

Senator Clay Cotton  
Rep. James E. Taylor Rep. Doyle Pevehouse

Those living in other counties should address the Senator and Representatives from that county.

# K. W. WOLENS

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